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## BIRTHS.

**CONNOLLY**—February 4, 1925, to Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Connolly, Ginnetts Great, Summerhill, a son.

**FREEDMAN**—February 17, 1925, at "Stella Maris," Earlsfort terrace, to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Freedman, 6 Avondale terrace, Harold's Cross road, a son.

**KELLY**—February 19, 1925, at the Carleton Home, Portstown, the wife of Mr. H. U. I. Kelly, M.E.C.V.S., of a son.

**McCORMAC**—February 11, 1925, at "Stella Maris," Earlsfort terrace, to Mr. and Mrs. P. C. McCormac, Kilmahuddrick, Clondalkin, a daughter.

**TOTTENHAM**—February 17, 1925, at Mount Cullan, the wife of Captain R. G. Tottenham, of a son.

**WARNOCK**—February 15, 1925, at Cookshannagh, Monaghan, to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Warnock, a daughter.

## MARRIAGES.

**CUNNINGHAM and DEERING**—February 17, 1925, at St. James' Parish Church, Dublin, with Nuptial Mass and Papal Blessing, by the Rev. Father F. W. Gaynor, C.C., Edward C. Cunningham, Cranchan, Garville road, Dublin, to Claire, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Deering, Garryroe, Mountshannon road, Kilmainham, Dublin.

**EVANS and BAKER**—February 12, 1925, at Knockainy Church, by Rev. W. La R. Bourchier, M.A., Rector of the Parish, Herbert C. Evans, M.R.C.V.S., only son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Evans, of 8 Monitrose terrace, Rane'agh, to Irene, only daughter of the late C. C. M. Baker, Esq., of Lisnacue, Bansha, County Tipperary.

**McGARRY and PINKERTON**—February 11, 1925, at St. Mary's Parish Church, Newry, by the Rev. H. B. Swanzy, M.A., John Vernon Leslie, only son of Mr. and Mrs. John Rutherford McGarry, Ravenshale, Dundalk, to Isobel Dorothy, younger daughter of the late Rev. S. Pinkerton, B.A., Newry.

**MOORE and PETTIGREW**—February 19, 1925, very quietly, at St. George's, Hanover square, London, Lieutenant-Colonel T. C. R. Moore, to Joan, widow of the late John Hislop Pettigrew, of Glasgow.

## DEATHS.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 6.**

**CHRYSTAL**—February 19, 1925, at his residence, Ardee, in his 80th year, William, eldest son of the late Robert Chrystal, of Arthurstown, Ardee, deeply regretted by his wife, sons, and daughter.

**DUGGAN**—February 16, 1925, at 12 Garville road, Rathgar, Dublin, Louisa, second daughter of the late George Cuffe, of this city.

**FITZSIMONS**—February 20, 1925, at his residence, Post Office, Avoca, William Thomas Fitzsimons, aged 65 years. Peaceful, perfect peace. Funeral to Castlemacadam New Cemetery on Monday at 2 p.m.

**HEANEY**—February 18, 1925, at her residence, 13 Annaville, Ranelagh, Miss Isabella Heaney. "For ever with the Lord."

**JACKMAN**—February 20, 1925, at The Friary, Lady Lane, Waterford, Very Rev. John P. Jackman, ex-Provincial, O.F.M. Office and High Mass on Monday at 11.15 a.m., at which His Lordship the Bishop will preside. Funeral immediately after the Mass for Carrickbeg.

**JONES**—February 19, 1925, at Ballinagee, Kinsale, Ellen, wife of Thomas Jones. Deeply regretted. Funeral, 3 o'clock sharp, to-day.

**KINSELLA**—February 19, 1925, at her residence, 58 Claremont terrace, Harold's Cross, Margaret, widow of the late Patrick W. Kinsella, K.I.P. Funeral private.

**MacDONNELL**—February 19, 1925, at her residence, St. Brigid's, Castleknock, Margaret, dearly beloved wife of the late Michael MacDonnell. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing children, relatives, and friends. Funeral from St. Brigid's Church, Knockmaroon, to Mulhuddart, 2.30, to-day (Saturday).

**ROBSON**—February 19, 1925, at Kinkora, Greystones, Thomas George Robson, fifth son of the late William Robson, of Maryborough. Funeral to Mount Jerome this (Saturday) morning at 10 o'clock, arriving at 11.30.

**SMITH**—February 20, 1925, at his residence, 228 Marino mansions, Dublin, Robert Percy Smith, F.R.C.S.I., eldest son of the late Philip Smith, M.D., Kevit Castle, Inishowen. Funeral, R.I.P., Monday at the Chapel, St. Vincent's Hospital, Dublin, to-morrow (Sunday) at 10 a.m. Funeral at Ballinagh, County Cavan, at 2 p.m. to-morrow (Sunday).

**TULLY**—February 19, 1925, at The Boreenagh, Clonskeagh, Castle, Milltown, Annie Dorothy (Dolly), dearly-loved and loving daughter of Jane and the late Charles Tully. "Peace, perfect peace." Funeral to Churchtown, Dundrum, leaving at 9.30 Monday.

**WEBB**—February 19, 1925, at 36 St. George's road, Calder's Green, London, Arabella Webb, of 2 Belgrave terrace, Monkstown, County Dublin, widow of the late John Herbert Webb.

## REQUIEM MASS.

**O'LEARY**—On Monday next, 23rd inst. Masses will be offered in Whitefriar street and Mount Argus Churches for the happy repose of the soul of the late Thomas O'Leary, Irish Republican Army, killed on March 23rd, 1923. R.I.P. Never forgotten.

## ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

**Mrs. Bligh** and family, Dunlewer, Trim, return sincere thanks to their numerous kind friends who sent telegrams and messages of sympathy to them in their recent sad bereavement, trusting they will accept this acknowledgment individually.

The family of the late **Mrs. William Mairs** desire to tender their sincere thanks for kind enquiries and sympathy in their sad bereavement.—Carrickneady, Newport, County Mayo.

## IN MEMORIAM.

**BREWSTER**—First Anniversary—In loving memory of William Theodore Brewster, who departed this life on 21st February, 1924. A devoted husband and father. Sleep in peace.

**BREWSTER**—In loving memory of my dear father, called to rest February 21st, 1924. "Severely 'till He comes."—Kathleen.

**COLCLOUGH**—In sad and loving memory of Thomas (Tom) Colclough, who departed this life at his residence, 14 Carlisle street, S.C. road, 22nd February, 1919. On whose soul, Sweet Jesus, have mercy.

**GUMLEY**—In loving memory of my dear husband, William Gumley, who departed this life at his residence, Snowdon, Lindsay road, Dublin, on the 21st February, 1921. "Blessed are the pure in heart."

**GUMLEY**—In loving memory of our dear father, William Gumley, who passed away 21st February, 1921.

**JEVERS**—In loving memory of my dear father, Henry Jevers, who died on the 22nd of February, 1921. Inserted by his loving daughter, Lily.

**JACOB**—Fourth Anniversary—In loving memory of my beloved husband, Edward J. Jacob, who died at his residence, Clondalkin, February 21st, 1921. In whose soul, Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy. Holy Mary and Saint Joseph, intercede for him. Deeply regretted by his loving wife, daughters, sons, and grandchildren.—R.I.P.

**LEAMY**—In loving memory of our darling Nellie, who departed this life at the residence of her parents, 37 Ballyboogh road, February 21, 1919.

The sable angel passing softly closed her gentle eyes,
But stole the fragrance from the flowers, the sunshine from the skies.

**LEAMY**—In loving memory of my darling sister, Nell, who departed this life February 21, 1919. "Thy will be done."—Freda.

**PASCOE**—In loving memory of Edward Pascoe, who died 21st February, 1919.

**WILCOX**—In everlasting memory of our dear mother, Annie Wilcox, who died February 22nd, 1924, also our dear father, Michael Wilcox, who died September 6th, 1924, at Rathcore, Enfield. Inserted by their daughter and son-in-law, Mabel and John.

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WILL the Relatives of Miss Mary Anne Breen, formerly of County Wexford and late of Dublin, kindly communicate with G 453, this office.

MICHAEL K. ROCHE, "Lonsdale," Temple road, Dublin, Deceased.
All persons having any claims and demands against the estate of the above kindly furnish particulars to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors.
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The creditors of the said Margaret Amelia O'Meehan, Deceased, late of Lifford, Ennis, in the County of Clare, Widow, who died on or about the 3rd January, 1924, are, on or before the 14th March, 1925, to send by post, prepaid to Messrs. Norman and Franks, 17 Ely Place, Dublin, the Solicitors for the plaintiff, their names, addresses, and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, and all persons claiming to be incumbrancers affecting the freehold registered land of the above named Deceased are to enter and prove their claims on or before the 14th March, 1925, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order.
Every creditor of incumbrancer holding any security is to produce the same, at Chambers No. 1, Dublin Castle, on the 26th day of March, 1925, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.
Dated this 19th February, 1925.
THOMAS W. ELDERKIN, Chief Clerk.
Messrs. NORMAN and FRANKS, 17 Ely Place, Dublin, Solicitors.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
FRANCIS CRAIG, late of 53 Gordon street, Ringsend Co. Dublin, and Abbeyside, Dungarvan, retired Coast Guard Officer, Deceased.
All persons having claims against the Estate of the above-named Deceased are required to send written particulars of such claims to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executor, William Craig, on or before the 28th March, 1925, after which date the Assets will be distributed, having regard only to the claims of which such particulars have been received as aforesaid.
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Take notice that, pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, Cap. 35, all persons claiming to be creditors or otherwise to have any claim against the assets of the said Mary Elizabeth Longfield, who died on the 26th day of August, 1924, at the Great Western Royal Hotel, Paddington, London, are required on or before the 14th day of March, 1925, to furnish particulars thereof, in writing, to the undersigned Solicitors for George W. Miller, Arthur S. Blunt and Donald S. McClean, to whom letters of Administration, with the Will and one Codicil annexed, of the estate of the said Deceased were granted by the Principal Registry of the High Court of Justice (Probate), Somerset House, on the 30th day of January, 1925, and, in default thereof, the said Administrators will distribute the assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to claims of which they then shall have received notice.
Dated this 19th day of February, 1925.
LONGFIELD, KELLY and ARMSTRONG, Solicitors for the said Administrators, 33 Clare street, Dublin.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE REQUESTS.
MARY ELIZABETH LONGFIELD, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that Mary Elizabeth Longfield, late of The Shelbourne Hotel, in the City of Dublin, by her Will dated 19th day of August, 1921, bequeathed as follows:—
The Adelaide Hospital, the sum of £100;
The Meath Hospital, the sum of £100;
The Rest for the Dead, Camden Row, the sum of £100;
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The Children's Hospital, Harcourt street, the sum of £100;
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The Society for the Relief of Distressed Protestants (Misses Gore), the sum of £50.
The said Testatrix died on the 26th day of August, 1924, at the Great Western Royal Hotel, Paddington, London, and her said Will, together with her said Will and one Codicil annexed were granted to George W. Miller, Arthur S. Blunt, and Donald S. McClean, by the Principal Registry of the High Court of Justice (Probate), Somerset House, on the 30th day of January, 1925.
Dated the 19th day of February, 1925.
LONGFIELD, KELLY and ARMSTRONG, Solicitors for the said George W. Miller, Arthur S. Blunt, and Donald S. McClean, 33 Clare street, Dublin.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUEST.
THE RIGHT HON. FRANCIS ELDON, EARL OF DONDON, late of 53 Princes Gardens, Kensington, Middlesex, and formerly of Castle Durrand, Dundon, in the County of Cork, K.P., Deceased.
Notice is hereby given, that the above-named Deceased, by his Will dated 27th day of October, 1904, bequeathed the sum of £2500, free of legacy duty, to THE REPRESENTATIVE BODY OF THE CHURCH OF IRELAND, Incorporated under the name of The Representative Church Body, to be by them invested for the perpetual endowment of the Incumbent of the Parish of BALLYMODAN, in the Diocese of Cork, subject as in said Will declared. And the said Testator appointed his Wife, Emma Dorothy Earl of Dondon, Executrix and Executrix of his said Will. The said Testator died on the 18th day of May, 1924, and his said Will was proved by the said Executrix, and Probate thereof was granted to her (with the Secretary of the High Court of Justice, Probate Division, as Principal Registry), on the 24th day of January, 1925.
Dated the 10th day of February, 1925.
CLIFFORD LLOYD and SON, Solicitors for the said Executrix, 35 Kildare street, Dublin.
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SAORSTAT EIREANN.
In the Matter of the High Court of Justice, and In the Matter of the Estate of
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And in a Cause
LEONARD—Record No. 1924/9501—
of the said Sarah Ryan, who died in month of September, 1920, are, on or day of March, 1925, to send by post, Messrs. Nevin and O'Reilly, of 12 Dublin, the Solicitors for the Dein their names, addresses and descriptions, particulars of their claims, and the nature ities (if any) held by them; and all to be Incumbrancers affecting the leased Lands of the said Sarah Ryan Chancellors, to come in and prove their Chambers No. 1, Law Courts, Dublin, before the said 4th day of March, 1925, all thereof they will be peremptorily the benefit of the Order.
ut holding any security is to pro- the said Chambers on the 11th 1925, being the time appointed for the claims.
Dated 5th day of February, 1925.
W. ELDERKIN, Chief Clerk.
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Plaintiffs' [illegible]
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## BIRTHS.

**CONNOLLY**—February 4, 1925, to Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Connolly, Ginnetts Great, Summerhill, a son.

**FREEDMAN**—February 17, 1925, at "Stella Maris," Earlsfort terrace, to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Freedman, 6 Avondale terrace, Harold's Cross road, a son.

**KELLY**—February 19, 1925, at the Carleton Home, Portadown, the wife of Mr. H. C. L. Kelly, M.R.C.V.S., of a son.

**McCORMAC**—February 11, 1925, at "Stella Maris," Earlsfort terrace, to Mr. and Mrs. P. C. McCormac, Kilmahuddrick, Clondalkin, a daughter.

**TOTTENHAM**—February 17, 1925, at Mount Callan, the wife of Captain R. G. Tottenham, of a son.

**WARNOCK**—February 15, 1925, at Coolshannagh, Monaghan, to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Warnock, a daughter.

## MARRIAGES.

**CUNNINGHAM and DEERING**—February 17, 1925, at St. James' Parish Church, Dublin, with Nuptial Mass and Papal Blessing, by the Rev. Father F. W. Gaynor, C.C., Edward C. Cunningham, Cowchan, Garville road, Dublin, to Claire, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Deering, Garryroe, Mountshannon road, Kilmainham, Dublin.

**EVANS and BAKER**—February 12, 1925, at Knockainy Church, by Rev. W. La R. Bourchier, M.A., Rector of the Parish, Herbert C. Evans, M.R.C.V.S., only son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Evans, of 8 Montrose terrace, Raneleagh, to Irene, only daughter of the late C. C. M. Baker, Esq., of Lismacue, Bansha, County Tipperary.

**McGARRY and PINKERTON**—February 11, 1925, at St. Mary's Parish Church, Newry, by the Rev. H. B. Swanzy, M.A., John Vernon Leslie, only son of Mr. and Mrs. John Rutherford McGarry, Ravensdale, Dundalk, to Isobel Dorothy, younger daughter of the late Rev. S. Pinkerton, B.A., Newry.

**MOORE and PETTIGREW**—February 19, 1925, very quietly, at St. George's, Hanover square, London, Lieutenant-Colonel T. J. Moore, to Joan, widow of the late John Hislop Pettigrew, of Glasgow.

## DEATHS.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 6.**

**CHRYSTAL**—February 19, 1925, at his residence, Ardee, in his 80th year, William, eldest son of the late Robert Chrystal, of Arthurstown, Ardee. Deeply regretted by his wife, sons, and daughter.

**DUGGAN**—February 16, 1925, at 12 Garville road, Rathgar, Dublin, Louisa, second daughter of the late George Cluffe, of this city.

**FITZSIMONS**—February 20, 1925, at his residence, Post Office, Avoca, William Thomas Fitzsimons, aged 65 years. "Peace, perfect peace." Funeral to Castlemacadam New Cemetery on Monday at 2 p.m.

**HEANEY**—February 18, 1925, at her residence, 12 Amaville, Ranelagh, Miss Isabella Heaney. "For ever with the Lord."

**JACKMAN**—February 20, 1925, at The Friary, Lady Lane, Waterford, Very Rev. John A. Jackman, ex-Provincial, O.F.M. Office and High Mass on Monday at 11/15 a.m., at which His Lordship the Bishop will preside. Funeral immediately after the Mass for Carrickbeg.

**JONES**—February 19, 1925, at Ballinagee, Enniskerry, Ellen, wife of Thomas Jones. Deeply regretted. Funeral, 3 o'clock sharp, to-day.

**KINSELLA**—February 19, 1925, at her residence, 58 Claremount terrace, Harold's Cross, Margaret, widow of the late Patrick W. Kinsella, R.I.P. Funeral private.

**MacDONNELL**—February 19, 1925, at her residence, and Hospital, Castle Rock, Margaret, dearly beloved wife of the late Michael MacDonnell. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing children, relatives, and friends. Funeral from St. Brigid's Church, Blanchardstown, to Mulhuddart, 3.30, today (Saturday).

**ROBSON**—February 19, 1925, at Kinkora, Greystones, Thomas George Robson, fifth son of the late William Robson, of Castle Bromwich, and Mount Jerome, this (Saturday) morning at 10 o'clock, arriving at 11.30.

**SMITH**—February 20, 1925, at his residence, 39 Merrion square, Dublin, Professor Alfred Smith, F.R.C.S.I., eldest son of the late Phillip Smith, C.E., Kevit Castle, Crossdoney, County Cavan, R.I.P. Mass at the Chapel of the Hospital, Dublin, to-morrow (Sunday) at 10 o'clock. Funeral at Ballinagh, County Cavan, at 2 p.m. to-morrow (Sunday).

**TULLY**—February 19, 1925, at The Bungalow, Conniscash Castle, Milltown, Annie Dorothy (Dolly), dearest and loving daughter of Jane and the late Charles Tully. "Peace, perfect peace." Funeral to Churchtown, Dundrum, leaving at 9.30 on Monday.

**WEBB**—February 19, 1925, at 36 St. George's road, Golder's Green, London, Arabella Webb, of 2 Belgrave terrace, Monkstown, County Dublin, widow of the late John Herbert Webb.

## REQUIEM MASS.

**O'LEARY**—On Monday next, 23rd inst., Masses will be offered in Whitefriar street and Mount Argus Churches for the happy repose of the soul of the late Thomas O'Leary, Irish Republican Army, killed on March 23rd, 1923. R.I.P. Never forgotten.

## ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

**Mrs. Bligh** and family, Dunlever, Trim, return sincere thanks to their numerous kind friends who sent telegrams and messages of sympathy to them in their recent bereavement, trusting they will accept this acknowledgment individually.

The family of the late **Mrs. William Mairs** desire to tender their sincere thanks for kind enquiries and sympathy in their sad bereavement.—Carrickmeady, Newport, County Mayo.

## IN MEMORIAM.

**BREWSTER**—First Anniversary.—In loving memory of William Theodore Brewster, who departed this life on 21st February, 1924. A devoted husband and father. Sleep in peace.

**BREWSTER**—In loving memory of my dear father, called to rest February 21st, 1924. "Severed only 'till He come."—Kathleen.

**COLCLOUGH**—In sad and loving memory of Thomas (Tom) Colclough, who departed this life at his residence, 14 Carlisle street, S.C. road, 22nd February, 1919. On whose soul, Sweet Jesus, have mercy.

**GUMLEY**—In loving memory of my dear husband, William Gumley, who departed this life at his residence, Snowdon, Lindsay road, Dublin, on the 21st February, 1921. "Blessed are the pure in heart."

**GUMLEY**—In loving memory of our dear father, William Gumley, who passed away 21st February, 1921.

**JEVERS**—In loving memory of my dear father, Henry Jevers, who died on the 22nd of February, 1921. Inserted by his loving daughter, Lily.

**JACOB**—Fourth Anniversary.—In loving memory of my beloved husband, Edward J. Jacob, who died at his residence, Clondalkin, February 21st, 1921. On whose soul, Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy. Holy Mary and Saint Joseph, intercede for him. Deeply regretted by his loving wife, daughters, sons, and grandchildren.—R.I.P.

**LEAHY**—In loving memory of our darling Nellie, who departed this life at the residence of her parents, 27 Ballybough road, February 21, 1919.

The sable angel passing softly closed her gentle eyes,
But stole the fragrance from the flowers, the sunshine from the skies.

**LEAHY**—In loving memory of my darling sister, Nell, who departed this life February 21, 1919. "Thy will be done."—Freda.

**PASCOE**—In loving memory of Edward Pascoe, who died 21st February, 1919.

**WILCOX**—In ever-loving memory of our dear mother, Annie Wilcox, who died February 23rd, 1924; also our dear father, Michael Wilcox, who died September 6th, 1924, at Rathcore, Enfield. Sadly missed. Inserted by their daughter and son-in-law, Mabel and John.

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WILL the Relatives of Miss Mary Anne Breen, formerly of County Wexford and late of Dublin, kindly communicate with G 453, this office?

MICHAEL K. ROCHE, "Lonsdale," Temple Road, Dublin, deceased.—All persons having any claims and demands against the estate of the above kindly furnish particulars to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors.
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MACNAMARA v. EMANUEL.
The creditors of the said Margaret Amelia O'Meehan, Deceased, late of Lifford, Ennis, in the County of Clare, Widow, who died on or about the 3rd January, 1924, are, on or before the 14th March, 1925, to send by post, prepaid to Messrs. Norman and Franks, 17 Ely Place, Dublin, the Solicitors for the plaintiff, their names addresses, and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, and all persons claiming to be incumbrancers affecting the freehold registered land of the above named Deceased are to enter and prove their claims on or before the 14th March, 1925, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order.
Every creditor of incumbrancer holding any security is to produce the same, at Chambers No. 1, Dublin Castle, on the 26th day of March, 1925, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.
Dated this 19th February, 1925.
THOMAS W. ELLERKER, Chief Clerk.
Messrs. NORMAN and FRANKS, 17 Ely Place, Dublin, Solicitors.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
FRANCIS CRAIG, late of 55 Gordon street, Ringsend, Co. Dublin, and Abbeyside, Dungarvan, retired Coast Guard Officer, Deceased.
All persons having claims against the Estate of the above-named Deceased are required to send written particulars of such claims to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executor, William Craig, on or before the 28th March, 1925, after which date the Assets will be distributed, having regard only to the claims of which such particulars have been received as aforesaid.
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FORDE v. LEONARD.—Record No. 1924/9601.—All the creditors of the said Sarah Ryan, who died in or about the month of September, 1920, are, on or before the 4th day of March, 1925, to send by post, prepaid, to Messrs. Nor'l and O'Reilly, of 12 College Green, Dublin, the Solicitors for the Defendant, their names, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them; and all persons claiming to be Incumbrancers affecting the Freehold Registered Lands of the said Sarah Ryan are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their claims at the Chambers No. 1, Law Courts, Dublin Castle, on or before the said 4th day of March, 1925, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the Order.
Every claimant holding any security is to produce the same at the said Chambers on the 11th day of March, 1925, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.
Dated this 7th day of February, 1925.
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ARTHUR COX and CO., Solicitors for the Plaintiff, 5 Stephen's Green, Dublin.

SAORSTAT EIREANN.
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Dated this 19th day of February, 1925.
WM. SMYTH and SON, Solicitors for the Plaintiffs, 29 Lower Gardiner street, Dublin.

THE RIGHT REV. MONSIGNOR BARTHOLOMEW DEAN FITZPATRICK, P.P., V.G., Deceased.
All persons having claims against the estate of the above Deceased are required to furnish particulars forthwith to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors.
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STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
MARY ELIZABETH LONGFIELD, late of The Shelbourne Hotel, in the City of Dublin, Spinster, Deceased.
Take notice that, pursuant to the Statutes 22nd and 23rd Victoria, Cap. 35, all persons claiming to be creditors or otherwise to have any claim against the assets of the said Mary Elizabeth Longfield, who died on the 26th day of August, 1924, at the Great Western Royal Hotel, Paddington, London, are required on or before the 14th day of March, 1925, to furnish particulars thereof in writing, to the undersigned Solicitors for George W. Miller, Arthur S. Blunt and Donald S. McLean, the Executors of Administrators (with the Will and one Codicil annexed) of the estate of the said Deceased, were granted by the Principal Registry of the Irish Court of Justice (Probate), Saorstat Eireann, on the 30th day of January, 1925, and, in default thereof, the said Administrators will distribute the assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to claims of which they then shall have received notice.
Dated the 13th day of February, 1925.
LONGFIELD, KELLY and ARMSTRONG, Solicitors for the said Administrators, 25 Clare street, Dublin.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.
MARY ELIZABETH LONGFIELD, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that Mary Elizabeth Longfield, late of the Shelbourne Hotel, in the City of Dublin, by her Will dated 19th day of August, 1921, bequeathed to—
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The Royal Zoological Society of Ireland, the sum of £50;
The Prison Gate Mission, the sum of £50;
The Society for the Relief of Distressed Protestants (Molesworth street), the sum of £50.
The said Will and one Codicil dated 24th day of August, 1924, of the Great Western Royal Hotel, Paddington, London, and Letters of Administration (with her said Will and one Codicil annexed) were granted to George W. Miller, Arthur S. Blunt, and Donald S. McLean, the Executors and Administrators of the said Deceased, by the Principal Registry of the High Court of Justice (Probate), Saorstat Eireann, on the 30th day of January, 1925.
Dated this 13th day of February, 1925.
LONGFIELD, KELLY and ARMSTRONG, Solicitors for the said Administrators, 25 Clare street, Dublin.
To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests, and to all whom it may concern.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUEST.
THE RIGHT HONORABLE JAMES FRANCIS EARL OF DONOUGHMORE, late of Princes Gardens, Kensington, Middlesex, and formerly of Castle Donoughmore, Bandon, in the County of Cork, R.P., Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that the above-named Deceased, by his Will dated 19th day of October, 1904, bequeathed the sum of £5000, free of legacy duty, to "THE REPRESENTATIVE BODY OF THE CHURCH OF IRELAND, Incorporated under the name of The Representative Church Body," to be by them invested for the perpetual endowment of the Incumbent of the Parish of BALLYMODAN in the Diocese of Cork, subject as to said Will declared. And the said Testator appointed his Wife, Georgiana Dorothea Harriett, Countess of Bandon, sole Executrix of his said Will. The said Testator died on the 18th day of May, 1924, and his said Will was proved by the said Executrix, and Probate thereof was granted to her forth of the Saorstat Eireann High Court of Justice, Probate Division (The Principal Registry), on the 24th day of January, 1925.
Dated this 10th day of February, 1925.
CLIFFORD LLOYD and SON, Solicitors for said Executrix, 35 Kildare street, Dublin.
To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests, and to all whom it may concern.

SAORSTAT EIREANN.
Pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, made in the Matter of the Estate of SARAH RYAN, late of Grange, Hazelbrook, Malahide, Dublin, Widow, Deceased,
And In a Case
FORDE v. LEONARD.—Record No. 1924/9601—All the creditors of the said Sarah Ryan, who died in or about the month of September, 1920, are, on or before the 4th day of March, 1925, to send by post, prepaid, to Messrs. Nor'l and O'Reilly, of 12 College Green, Dublin, the Solicitors for the Defendant, their names, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them; and all persons claiming to be Incumbrancers affecting the Freehold Registered Lands of the said Sarah Ryan are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their claims at the Chambers No. 1, Law Courts, Dublin Castle, on or before the said 4th day of March, 1925, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the Order.
Every claimant holding any security is to produce the same at the said Chambers on the 11th day of March, 1925, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.
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GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE

## SUPPORT FOR GRAND JOY.

### CROCK HILL'S IMPROVED FORM.

### DUNADRY BREAKS DOWN.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

*LONDON, Friday Night.*

The support that has been accorded to the Irish Two Thousand Guineas winner, Grand Joy, for the Lincolnshire Handicap during the last few days is, I can say, entirely genuine. He was backed to win more money this afternoon, and his price has been reduced to 100 to 8. A good light-weight jockey in G. Richards has been engaged to ride, and he appears to be in every way a thoroughly genuine candidate. There can be no question about the favourable way in which he is handicapped, and I happen to know that his connections expected a good deal more than the 7st. 11lb. with which he has been let in.

There was very good racing this afternoon at Hurst Park, and the interest was well sustained from the first event, the Amateurs' Steeplechase, which young Lord Suirdale, the Earl of Donoughmore's heir, won on his own horse, Dinna Ken, by a length and a half from Highball, after the last event, where Mah Jongg, who was the medium of one of the biggest gambles of the season, beat Pasha in a canter.

I was particularly interested during the afternoon in the running of Mr. Faber's Thrown In, who, I have stated more than once here, has a good outside chance in the Grand National. This nine-year-old is a really good type of 'chaser, but he is still a little backward in condition. He is, however, a beautiful jumper, and gets over his fences with the minimum of effort. He pulled his way to the front early in this race, and was in the forefront of the picture until Mainsail refused six furlongs from home and went right across him. After that he began to drop back, and had nothing to do with the finish. All the same, his performance was an attractive one. I know that he stays well, and after seeing his race to-day I like his National chance better than ever. He runs again in the National Hunt Trial Chase at Gatwick on Friday next, and his performance there should be full of interest. For his part this afternoon will have brought him on a good deal.

Dunadry started favourite for this race, but broke down and was pulled up between the last two fences. Progress went on to beat Sir Huon by half a length. Sir Huon took the lead after Mainsail had refused, and was there at the last fence, but he did not struggle any too generously, and was beaten cleverly. Still, it was a great improvement as compared with his other performances in this, but I am afraid he has turned cunning nowadays.

Beddam made a gallant effort to win the Rosslampton Hurdle under his 12st. 10lb., but was run out of it from the last hurdle and beaten a length by Crock Hill, the pair being one clear. Goby has done wonders with old Crock Hill since he rescued him from selling hack company, and he is now back to something like his old Irish form.

**EASTER HERO FALLS.**

An Irish horse who has not run before in England, Easter Hero, was going great guns in the Novices' Steeplechase until he fell three fences from home. The favourite, Attaboy, jumped fallen early in the race, and then Pongo had no difficulty in beating Young Heroine, who, like little doubt, if Easter Hero had stood up.

Every attractive field of hurdlers turned out for the Hurlingham Hurdle, and, although Palomides was always favourite, he was beaten at the finish. The result was hardly streamed for Mah Jongg, who was supported from tens down to twos. After Pasha had done most of the running, Mah Jongg took it up between the last two fences, and, coming right in a canter, Tudor King being third. Zarope ran well here, lying second or third until they were a quarter of a mile from home, when he dropped right out. Mafrah ran well, and was one of a little group that just missed a place. Palomides was never in the picture, and seemed to run very woefully.

We shall see more good racing to-morrow afternoon, and there will be a big field of novices for the New Century Steeplechase. Although OLD TIME2 has a great deal of weight he has shown so many times how proving himself a champion over a country that I choose him to win. The best of the others may be Sancroft, and the four-year-old Grand Joy, who will be making his first appearance over a country. In spite of his weight, I take HOLDCROFT to win the Ranelagh Steeplechase. He has always shown himself to be a wonder on this course. HIS LUCK has gone high in the handicap, but he should still beat the others in the Putney Handicap Steeplechase.

GALTEE MORE.

### SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

Colonel Joseph M'Laughlin has purchased Game Cock (aged).

Grand Joy, the favourite for the Lincolnshire Handicap, will be ridden in that race by G. Richards.

Calder, who finished fourth on Drifter in the Grand National last year, will again have the mount next month.

Minimus (6 yrs.) has been leased to Miss S. Kennedy from the executors of the late Mr. E. Kennedy.

A partnership in Little Marden has been registered between Mrs. Collis and Mr. J. Leech. Mrs. Collis's share being three-quarters and Mr. Leech's one-quarter.

The Stewards of the Turf Club have given permission to Captain J. F. O'Grady and Mr. R. Morrison to ride under Rule 96 (1.) Rules of Racing.

Prince Pedro, who showed such smart form on the flat in Ireland last year, has been undergoing a course of hurdling at the Curragh, and gives much promise at his new vocation.

F. M. Quirke, the well-known jockey, has acquired a residence on the Brownstown side of the Curragh, and will shortly move into his new quarters.

The following have declared forfeit for the Metropolitan Steeplechase at Baldoyle:—Clonsheever, Ganzey, Barry Ogue, Mask-on, Warfate, Flying Laddie, Little Mick, Grecian Wave, Sea Mirage, Factolus and Polish Prince.

The finals of the Amateur Boxing Championships will be held at Holland Park Hall, London, on April 1st, this being a new venue for the championships, which have been held at Alexandra Palace for many years.

The Prince of Wales's Plate at Punchestown has attracted 25 entries, the Governor-General's Cup 35, the Tickell Cup 42, the Drogheda Plate 24, the Conyngham Cup 26, the La Touche Cup 43, the Kildare Hunt Plate 50, the Downshire Plate 60, the Ladies' Cup 19, and the Bishopscourt Cup 34.

Jockeys' engagements at Hurst Park to-day:—Ranelagh Steeplechase—Holdcroft (J. Anthony), Ardocus (F. Rees), Mr. Madcap (Scott), What Luck (Prideaux), Teddington Hurdle—Piccolisco (A. Blunder), Chalice (F. Wootton), Scallino (A. Piper), My Joys (Tighe), Royal Bucks (G. Duller). New Century Steeplechase—Old Times (J. Gaskell), Rathcoole (L. Rees), Sancroft (L. Foster), Donegal (Scott), Ardocus (Pride (Burford)), Putney Steeplechase—Good Points (Mr. Filmer Sankey), His Luck (J. Anthony), Weybridge Hurdle—Cloth of Gold (Mr. Leader), Sweetman (F. Rees), Lordi (W. Speck), Solon the Philosopher (A. Piper).

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# RATES ON NEW BUILDINGS

## SENATE ADOPTS PLAN TO MAKE CONCESSIONS

## MINISTER'S WARM APPROVAL.

The Free State Senate yesterday finished the report stage of the Local Government Bill.

Mr. Burke, Minister in charge of the bill, accepted an amendment which reduces the rates on new buildings and buildings that have been reconstructed.

It was pointed out that this concession would stimulate the building of houses and reward those who undertook building work in difficult circumstances during recent years.

The Dail discussed the Local Authorities (Combined Purchases) Act in Committee, and then adjourned until March 4th.

THE SENATE

### LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

#### ADVERTISING PLEASURE RESORTS.

The Report stage of the Local Government Bill was resumed yesterday in the Senate.

Mr. Dowdall moved the insertion of a new section giving power to local authorities to raise a rate for advertising the health and pleasure resorts of their respective districts. He proposed that in the case of a county council or county borough the rate should not exceed one penny in the pound, and that the amount raised by any other local body together with the rate raised by the county council should not exceed threepence in the pound.

Sir John Keane asked if the effect of this proposal would be to spread the expense over a greater area than was to be advertised. Urban districts should not have power to strike a rate outside their own area.

Mr. Linehan said that he objected to the council colneil getting power to levy any more rates.

Mr. James Moran said that this proposal provided the opportunity of a lifetime. A new method had been started in America by shipping companies which were feeling the loss of the emigrant traffic. As a substitute these companies were offering special facilities to the descendants of those who had emigrated to visit the old land. He understood that the Canadian Pacific Railway was distributing literature along the Atlantic and Pacific coast, and would be glad to advertise Irish resorts.

The section was adopted.

### FILLIP TO BUILING.

#### REDUCTION OF RATES ON NEW BUILDING.

Mr. O'Rourke moved the insertion of a new section, giving power to the Minister to render immune from revaluation for a period of five years new buildings and certain buildings which have been reconstructed.

The Chairman said that the same effect should be secured by asking that the rates should be levied on the old valuation.

Mr. Brown moved the insertion of a new section as follows:—

63. (1) In this section the expression "new building" means either—

(a) A building, the erection of which was or shall have been begun and completed during the period from the 1st April, 1920, to 1st April, 1927, or

(b) A building, the structure of which has been substantially enlarged or improved, and such enlargement or improvement was or shall have been begun and completed during the period aforesaid.

The expression "exemption year" means—

(i.) In relation to any new building which is exempt from revaluation under the provisions of section 7 of the Dublin Reconstruction (Emergency Provisions) Act, 1924—any of the local financial years between the 1st day of April, 1929 and the 31st day of March, 1933.

(ii.) In relation to any new building which is exempt from revaluation under the provisions of section 8 of the Dublin Reconstruction (Emergency Provisions) Act, 1924—any of the local financial years between the 1st day of April, 1930, and the 31st day of March, 1933.

(iii.) In relation to any other new building—any of the local financial years between the 1st day of April, 1926, and the 31st day of March, 1933.

(2) For the purpose of the assessment and levying of any rate raised by a local authority for the service of any exemption year, and subject to the provisions of Sub-section (3) of this section, the valuation of every new building under the Valuation Acts shall be deemed to have been reduced by one-half.

(3) The preceding sub-section shall not have effect in the case of any house erected under the Housing of Working Classes Acts, the Labourers (Ireland) Acts, and the Housing (Building Facilities) Act, 1924, the rates leviable in respect of which have been remitted in part under the provisions of Section 7 of that Act.

(4) If any doubt, dispute, or question shall arise as to whether a building is a new building within the meaning of this section, such doubt, dispute or question shall be determined by the Minister, whose decision shall be final.

The object of the new section, said Mr. Brown, was to encourage building quickly, in view to the great want of employment. It proposed to do that by preventing rates from being struck every financial year on more than one-half the valuation, whatever it was. That would last until 1933. It would bring within its scope any new building which had been erected or reconstructed or completed from 1st April, 1920.

#### THE STATE'S INTEREST.

Mr. O'Dea said he would be satisfied with the section if it provided that the new valuation should be relieved of all local rates for the period set out. Their own Government should be as generous in such matters as the Imperial Government. There would be nothing better for the State than to set building operations going. It would give a new aspect to cities like Dublin and Cork, where there were so many destroyed areas. It would inspire confidence in the people who might be called upon to subscribe to a loan in the immediate future. Nothing would give more confidence at present than to see extensive building operations. He thought, however, that new valuations should be immune from local rates until 1933.

The Chairman said that Senator Brown's amendment seemed to be more generous than that of Senator O'Rourke.

Mr. Moran said that he looked upon the *modus operandi* of the Valuation Office as absolutely the cause of the decay of the City of Dublin.

Mr. Farren said that he was not opposed to something being done in the direction aimed at by the amendment, but he wanted to see fair play all round. If certain people were exempted from paying their fair share of the quota necessary for carrying on the essential public services, other people would have to pay more than their fair share. He strongly objected to the part of the amendment that would exempt until 1933 houses built under the Dublin Reconstruction Acts. It was agreed that those should be exempted until 1930, but the amendment would give them three years further.

Mr. O'Farrell pointed out that tobacco factories had been erected in Dublin since April, 1920, and were paying rates. These apparently, would get the benefits to be derived from the new section, and that would not be fair to tobacco factories that were in existence before 1920. It would be subsidising some people against others in the same business. For that reason he thought that it would be better if the retrospective provision were not in the section.

Sir John Keane drew attention to what he called the iniquity of the section in the case of owners of houses in the country who had to leave them and who had to pay rates on the unoccupied premises. The Increase of Rent Act under which they had to pay would come to an end next year, but during its continuance their grievance would remain.

#### REWARD OF COURAGE.

Mr. Brown, replying to points raised, said that the amount of rates affected by the point raised by Senator Farren would be infinitesimal, and in the end the local authorities would be more than recouped by the substantial rates on the new buildings after the period of exemption. It was only fair that those who had the courage to take advantage of the Acts of 1916 and 1924 and started to build when they had no hope of getting relief from rates should get some reward for their good citizenship. That was why the section had been made retrospective.

The Minister for Local Government (Mr. Burke) said that personally he would like to accept an amendment on the lines of that of Senator O'Rourke, but it was a valuation question in the province of the Ministry of Finance. That Ministry was adamant against it. The only way he could help was by allowing some remission on the lines of Senator Brown's section. He thought, however, that it would be better if the section went a little further, and he was prepared to substitute two-thirds of the valuation for the one-half proposed by Senator Brown. (Hear, hear.)

He was altogether in favour of giving that new benefit to those who stepped into the breach at a difficult time and started house-building.

Mr. Brown—Does that mean that rates are to be charged only on one-third of the valuation?

Mr. Burke—Yes.

Mr. O'Rourke then withdrew his amendment in favour of Senator Brown's new section, which was adopted.

#### DECLARATION OF ALLEGIANCE.

Colonel Moore moved the deletion of the section under which a declaration of allegiance must be made by officers of local authorities on appointment or when they receive an increase of remuneration. Some people, he said, began to think that the Government was not what they had expected it to be. The section was a political one, and for that reason he was opposed to it.

Mr. O'Farrell said that it was no hardship on anybody to swear allegiance to the State as by law established, but it was absolutely ridiculous to impose a declaration on any particular officials unless it was imposed on every adult. Why was the amendment not introduced in the other House? Already the Senate was regarded as the headquarters of reaction. The section provided not only a declaration of allegiance to the Free State, but a solemn oath that the man would perform his duties. If a man did not perform his duties there was a remedy; he could be dismissed. A Civil Service Regulations Bill had been introduced. Why was not the oath put into that? Surely an oath was far more important in the Civil Service than under local authorities. The whole thing was childish and absolutely unworthy of a responsible Government.

Sir Thomas Emonde said that he could not see why a similar declaration should not be made by civil servants.

Mr. McLaughlin said that he did not claim that the declaration would turn disloyal into loyal officials, but it would curb their activities.

Mr. MacLysaght said that a Local Government Bill was not the place for such a provision.

Mr. Kenny said that as it stood the clause was impossible of accentance by anyone expressing republican ideas. He knew republicans who were absolutely sincere in the views they held, and who, if they got positions under a local authority, would be absolutely good officials, and would have such a sense of honour that they would do nothing contrary to what was implied in their acceptance of office—namely, that they would act loyally in the interests of their employers.

To overcome the objection that such cases raised, he suggested that the words, "I will not use my position for the purpose of injuring the Free State or undermining the Constitution," be substituted for the declaration of allegiance to the Free State.

#### MINISTER'S VIEW.

The Minister said that all civil servants had to take a pledge of allegiance to the State. He was very disappointed with the attitude taken up by Senator O'Farrell, who, he said, took a view mean way of dealing with the question.

Colonel Moore—Is it Parliamentary to say that Senator did a mean thing?

The Chairman—I do not think it is unparliamentary.

The Minister, continuing, said that Senator O'Farrell, by insinuation, alleged that the Minister responsible for the bill was afraid to bring forward the proposal in the Dail. In the past Ministers had to take very difficult decisions, and they took them because they considered that it was their duty to do so. They were not, and would not be, intimidated by the possibilities arising from the passing of any measure, however drastic. Members of the Senate, too, had in the past shown that they were not to be intimidated, even by the burning of their houses over their heads.

Everyone knew that men were being elected to positions under the local authorities who had done their best to wreck the stability of the country, and were still using those positions, and the influence and *prestige* arising from those positions to injure the Government. It was protecting them in their offices. He did not pretend to believe that the amendment would be completely watertight; for they would have dishonest men making the declaration of allegiance and at the same time working to undermine the Constitution. But the provision would certainly weaken the *prestige* of such men in their appeals to other people in their endeavours to build up an organisation against the State. To secure stability in the country it was absolutely necessary that the public servants, whether civil or local, should be persons in whom confidence could be placed.

Colonel Moore said that he would accept Senator Kenny's suggested amendment instead of his own. He believed that it was but fair and reasonable that people should not use their public positions for the purpose of upsetting the state of affairs that brought them into their positions.

Colonel Moore's amendment was put and negatived by a considerable majority, after which Mr. Kenny stated that he would not put his suggestion as a further amendment. The new section, requiring the declaration of allegiance, accordingly became part of the bill

#### A NOVELTY.

Mr. Butler moved the insertion of a new section, to the effect that if a Minister receives a request from 20 per cent. of the electorate, or from 20 per cent. of the county council or corporate body, asking that a Commissioner should be appointed to manage its affairs, he should, on the day of the elections, cause a poll to be taken on that question, and, if a majority declared in favour of a Commissioner, the election of councillors should be null and void, and the Minister should appoint a Commissioner, who would hold office until the next triennial election.

The Minister for Local Government said that the whole thing would be difficult to put into practice. It would also be very hard to get candidates to come up under such conditions.

The proposal was defeated by the vote of the Chairman, who said that he would have to vote against it, as it was a novelty.

Mr. Nesbitt moved an amendment to Section 65, that after an experience of a Commissioner, ratepayers desiring to continue his services should have an opportunity of doing so. If, he said 25 per cent. of the electors claimed it, a referendum should be taken as to whether such administration should be continued.

The Minister said that he could not accept the amendment, but he was prepared to accept with modifications a subsequent one on the same subject by Senator Linehan. Later on it might be found advisable to have some system of local administration combining the efficiency of expert Commissioners with the preservation of the right of the franchise. The present administration by Commissioners was only a temporary measure to meet a temporary difficulty, and he did not wish to stereotype it.

Mr. Kenny said that it was too much of a temptation to put into the hands of any Minister the power to dissolve at his will any public body and appoint a friend of his as a Commissioner at a nice round salary. There was also the danger that Commissioners would hold back necessary schemes of development and improvement for the sake of being able to show economies in administration.

On a show of hands the amendment was rejected by 11 to 8.

The following Government amendment to replace one on the paper by Senator Linehan was passed:—"A County or Borough Council may, with the consent of the Minister, delegate to such person or persons as the Minister shall from time to time appoint all or part of its powers, duties and functions, including all or part of the powers, duties and functions of a Board of Health, and such shall be exercised or performed by such person or persons until the holding of the next triennial elections for County Councils, the remuneration of such person or persons to be part of the general expenses of such Council."

#### BOARDS OF HEALTH.

Mrs. Wyse Power moved an amendment to the second schedule to insert a new rule relative to the election of members of the Board of Health, which specified (a) that for every county electoral area in the county health district one member of the Board of Health shall be elected from among the county councillors elected for that area; (b) of the other members any group of county councillors comprising the necessary number of such councillors may nominate a councillor to be a member of the Board of Health, and such member shall be elected on such nomination without any voting; (c) the remainder of the additional members shall be elected successively by a majority of the votes of county councillors who are not members of any such group of county councillors as aforesaid; the number of such groups necessary to form a group for the purposes of this rule shall be the number obtained by dividing the total number of county councillors present at the election by the number of additional members to be elected, or where the number so obtained is not a whole number, the whole number next greater than the number so obtained; (d) a county councillor may be a member of more than one group.

The amendment was agreed to.

An amendment consequential to the above was also approved.

A few other minor matters having been dealt with, the report stage of the bill concluded.

THE DAIL

### TEACHERS' PENSIONS.

#### RECIPIENTS WHO LIVE IN THE NORTH

The Speaker took the chair at 12.13.

Mr. T. J. O'Connell asked leave to introduce the Superannuation and Pensions (Amendment) Bill, 1925.

He explained that it was a two-clause bill to repeal Sub-section 5 of Section 5 of the Superannuation and Pensions Act, 1923. Section 6 of the latter Act proposed to give certain increases to teacher pensioners, but the effect of the sub-section was that teachers who served in the six counties and who, on retiring, went to live in the six counties were not eligible to receive the increases which they otherwise would receive. The number of teachers involved was twenty-five, at an average pension of £43 10s. per annum, and the amount of the proposed increase would be £11 a head, or a total of £275 per annum. That would be paid from the Teachers' Pension Fund, to which the teachers contributed a certain share.

That fund derived part of its income from certain moneys set aside under the Act of 1879, and there was also a subsidy voted annually by the Dail, amounting to 15 per cent. of the total expenditure. If his bill were passed the extra cost to be voted by the State would be approximately £45 a year.

Mr. Blythe said that the Government would not oppose the first reading.

The bill was read a first time, and the next stage was fixed for March 4.

#### COMBINED PURCHASES.

The House went into Committee on the Local Authorities (Combined Purchasing) Bill.

In dealing with the section which requires local bodies to furnish explanations as to their reasons for selecting a local contractor instead of the central contractor, Mr. Johnson said that an absolute revolution was taking place in the attitude of the central authority towards the local authorities. The people elected those local bodies as responsible men to carry out certain business, and the Government seemed to have the impression that, if a local authority differed in its opinion from the central authority as to the placing of a contract, the inference was that the local authority was conspiring to defraud the ratepayers.

President Cosgrave said that Sections 1 and 2 of the bill gave power to the local authority to go outside the official contractor, and it was only required that they should enter into account of the transaction on the minutes and state their reasons for doing so. Surely that was reasonable. If the explanation advanced by the local body was satisfactory, well and good; if not, they should have a check on those proceedings. For instance, if the official contractor's price for an article was £5 and the local body accepted the tender of a local firm at £5 5s., surely some explanation was required. That explanation might be satisfactory or it might not; but, at all events, an explanation was necessary.

Mr. John Good said that the centralised system would break down if local authorities were allowed to purchase commodities themselves. To his mind, the real weakness in the bill was that there was no schedule defining particular items. He was satisfied that, while centralised purchasing would be a saving in certain items, it would break down in others.

When the discussion had been in progress for some time, Mr. Johnson drew attention to the small attendance of deputies, and suggested that progress be reported.

President Cosgrave agreed, saying that he would be glad to have the opportunity to consider what had been said. On his motion progress was reported, and continuation of the debate appointed for the next sitting.

Continuation of the debate on Mr. Figgis's motion concerning the Army was adjourned till the next sitting of the Dail.

#### FARMERS' INCOME TAX.

On the motion for the adjournment of the House,

Mr. Conor Hogan called attention to an elaborate form of return to be completed by farmers claiming relief in respect of income tax.

The Minister for Finance stated that the form in question was provided for the convenience of farmers who did not keep proper accounts. When proper accounts were kept they were accepted by the revenue authorities.

The Dail adjourned till three o'clock on Wednesday, 4th March.

The name of Mr. H. Colohan should have been included in the list of deputies who voted against the second reading of the Treason Bill on Thursday.

### BILLIARDS

#### THE AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP.

Major H. L. Fleming (Kilnaburgh) and R. Earls (Hournemouth) met in the second heat of the Amateur Championship at Thurston's, London, yesterday. Closing scores—Fleming (in play), 1,600; Earls, 618.

#### SMITH v. REECE.

Smith and Reece continued their match at Burroughes' Hall, London, yesterday. Closing scores:—Reece (rec. 6,000), 10,628; Smith (in play), 6,992.

#### NEWMAN v. McCONACHY.

Play was continued yesterday at Newcastle. Closing scores:—McConachy (rec. 5,000), 8,603; Newman (in play), 8,303.

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### YESTERDAY'S CASES IN THE COURTS.

#### CIVIL SERVICE TEST CASE

##### PENSION AND BONUS.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE O'CONNOR, MR. JUSTICE FITZGIBBON, AND MR. JUSTICE JOHNSTON.)

The hearing was resumed of the appeal and cross-appeal brought by the Attorney-General and the plaintiffs in the case of Wigg and another v. Attorney-General from a judgment of Mr. Justice Meredith, which was substantially in favour of the plaintiffs. The test case, which relates to the status, pensions, and retiring allowances of the civil servants, is regarded as one of considerable importance.

Serjeant Hanna, Mr. Overend, K.C., and Mr. Costello (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor) appeared for the Attorney-General; and Mr. Jellett, K.C., Mr. Dickie, K.C., and Mr. J. Henry (instructed by Mr. W. J. M. Coulter) for the plaintiffs.

Continuing his arguments in support of the Attorney-General's appeal, Serjeant Hanna referred to the Transfer of Functions Order, transferring the functions of the British departments to the corresponding departments of the Provisional Government, pointing out that under that Order and the provisions of the Government of Ireland Act, 1920, their lordships would see that those who were transferred by the Provisional Government were transferred under the same tenure as they occupied before; so, that those men who were transferred carried over on their backs all the benefits and all the burdens that they had under the British, including the provision that the supreme authority as regards pensions was the Treasury, named in the Free State as the Provisional Government the Minister of Finance. This Treaty and transfer legislation, as their lordships would see, was simply a linking up of the provisions of the Superannuation Act.

In reply to Mr. Justice O'Connor, he said that it could not be said that the Free State derived any authority from the Transfer of Functions Act. Those who had not retired in consequence of change of Government were in the same position and under the same tenure as they were under the British. These men had a right to go immediately that the Treaty was passed, twelve months before the Constitution was brought into existence, and the men who retired within the twelve months certainly could not rely upon the Constitution; and it was not to be argued that the men who retired after the Constitution came into existence had prior rights to those who retired under the Treaty. The Treaty, he repeated, conferred all legal rights upon civil servants; and the men who went out before 1922 had only Article 10 to depend upon. Surely there was nothing in the Constitution which put the rights of these people higher than they were put in the Treaty.

Mr. Justice O'Connor said that he thought that was contrary to what he was arguing.

"Why?" I mean enforceable right. He thought it was putting a false value upon the Constitution to say that it created the Free State. It was only a declaration of fact, often made, but it was legally unfounded. What was in the Constitution, therefore, could not be put any higher than what was in the Treaty, which originally conferred their rights on these men. He pointed out that there was no machinery in the Court to fix the amounts of the pensions. He submitted that there was no apt machinery in the Courts to deal with this matter, which could only be satisfactorily dealt with by special experts of standing.

All that could be received under Article 10, he said, were "benefits," such rights as opposed to benefits, must be investigated in the Courts. That was a point relied upon in the case of the Dublin Metropolitan Police and the case of the National School Teachers, in which appeals were pending; and he thought he would be neglectful of his responsibility if he did not put every possible argument on the subject before the Court, and he was trying to meet every difficulty that their lordships might suggest in his way.

The next stage of his argument was concerned with what was the position of salaries and bonuses before the Treaty, with which he dealt at length.

Replying to Mr. Justice O'Connor, Serjeant Hanna gave a detailed account of what bonus was and how it was calculated. There was no legal foundation for the bonus; it was only the bounty of the Treasury, and in every official document it was described as an emolument.

The Free State Government agreed that the men were to get 75 per cent. of the bonus, in addition to salary allowances and compensation; but they claimed the addition of the whole bonus in their calculations, thereby including every sort of profit—money for travelling and for boots, and everything.

Serjeant Hanna, proceeding to discuss details of the claims of the plaintiffs, said that Mr. Wigg was pensioned on the full amount of the bonus, and he said that there should be no sliding scale. Mr. Cochrane said that as regards the portion of his pension, which was a full annual allowance, he should be in the same position as Mr. Wigg, and that there should be no sliding scale; and that as to the lump sum, it should be calculated on the entire of his bonus, and not on the 75 per cent. There was nothing in the Treaty or in the Act of 1920 that deprived whoever was giving the pension or making the calculation of the right to take into consideration a man's course of service, or to exercise the discretion that the Treasury had always exercised in respect of these pensions. The whole outlook on the subject of pensions was one inappropriate to the fixation of pensions by an ordinary tribunal in the Courts. The view they put forward, counsel submitted, was supported by reason as well as by law. The big point they were arguing was the question of jurisdiction, whether the decision of the Minister could be impleaded in Court in the form in which the plaintiffs had impleaded it.

Mr. Justice O'Connor—They do not come in disputing the jurisdiction of the Finance Minister: they come in accepting it, and they only say that in exercising his jurisdiction he went wrong. You say that his judgment is final and conclusive in the way that of the Treasury would be?

Serjeant Hanna said that that was so.

Counsel then proceeded to read the judgment of Mr. Justice Meredith, and had not concluded when the further hearing of the case was adjourned. It may be resumed next Monday.

#### DUBLIN BANKRUPT.

##### EXAMINATION IN COURT.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE O'SHAUGHNESSY.)

Patrick Augustus Hogan, bankrupt, was examined in the Bankruptcy Court by Mr. Morgan Byrne (instructed by Messrs. J. O'Connor and Co.), for the creditors, with regard to his assets. It was elicited from the bankrupt that he lived at 35 Villiers road, Rathgar, which house and the furniture in it, he said, belonged to his wife. He had been in business as a manufacturer's agent and wholesale merchant, mainly in the electrical business. When he married, eighteen years ago, he had nothing. His wife received £300 from her parents. The first use they made of that money was to purchase a house with it. They sold that and bought others from time to time in Howth road, Royes road, Iona road, and lastly their present residence, making money on each transaction, which culminated in £1,500. The dealings were transacted by him in his wife's name. He had sold a house in April, 1924, for £600.

That was your money? queried counsel. It was.

What became of that money? I paid £215 of it to a Mrs. Cochrane, of Ballsbridge, to whom I owed it in respect of a loan. The rest was paid out by my solicitor in various ways.

In further examination, the bankrupt said that he had been in bad health, and that on the advice of his doctor he spent two months on the Continent, which cost him about £15 a week. The cause of his failure was due partly to that illness and to an action that had been brought against him by a British firm for alleged infringement of patent.

Mr. Dockrell, K.C. (instructed by Messrs. Little, O'hUadhaigh and Proud), for the bankrupt, said that the bankrupt had made a full disclosure, and that his friends had made an offer of £6 in the £.

Mr. Justice O'Shaughnessy said that Hogan had given his evidence quite frankly and that it might be advisable to accept the offer.

#### POSSESSION OF DUBLIN LANDS.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE SULLIVAN.)

The action of Lynham v. Butler was heard. The plaintiff, Francis Lynham, of 27 London-bridge road, Irishtown, Dublin, sought to recover from the defendant, the Rev. Michael Butler, D.D., P.P., Roundwood House, possession of the house, offices and lands of Mount McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, O'Connell street.—(Advt.)

parish of Tallaght, and of part of the lands known as The Causeway Farm.

It was stated on behalf of the plaintiff that the defendant held the lands under a lease which expired on the 22nd August, 1924, and the action was one for ejectment on title.

The defendant pleaded possession; that by an order of Mr. Justice Wylie the holding was one to which the Land Act of 1923 applied, and by virtue of that order the plaintiff was not entitled to the relief claimed, and that the plaintiff was estopped from disowning that he was entitled to recover possession from the defendant. Defendant further relied on the provisions of the Land Act of 1923.

Plaintiff replied that the order did not affect his right to possession of the lands on the expiration of the lease prior to the vesting of the land in the Land Commission.

Mr. Serjeant Hanna, Mr. Overend, K.C., and Mr. Marnan (instructed by Messrs. Daniel Purcell and Son) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Jellett, K.C., and O. Walker, K.C., and Mr. Molony (instructed by Messrs. Justin McCarthy and Co.) for the defendant.

Mr. Justice Sullivan reserved judgment.

DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT.

### ALLEGED INTIMIDATION AT SALE.

#### TWELVE MEN CHARGED.

(BEFORE MR. SUBDEN.)

Joseph Woolfson, Jacob Woolfson, Wolf Woolfson, H. Lipman, Nathan Rattel, Tobias Coleman, Leo Coleman, Maurice Finlon, Jacob Levin, Michael Mirrellem, Maurice Freeman and Patrick Byrne, all of Dublin, were charged with having attempted to compel five men named Max White, Nathan Tolken, Max Crabits, Edward Carran and Samuel Porter to abstain from bidding for goods offered for sale by auction at Tallaght Camp on the 27th August, 1924. They were further charged with intimidation by violence and threats.

Mr. J. J. Twomey, auctioneer, who conducted the sale, said that he was offering old military clothing, etc., and that he noticed that the bidding was "getting slack" towards the end of the sale.

Major O'Leary stated that some time after the sale four bundles of clothing were disposed of at more than £400 above what had been bid for them at the auction.

Max White, a general dealer, said that five of the defendants asked him to "stand in" with them and not to spoil the day. It was agreed, however, that he would be allowed to buy one lot of clothing.

Max Crabits said that he bid £50 for scrap iron, but Michael Mirrellson said to him: "If you bid more than £50 you will not get it. We can afford to bid more than you."

All the defendants were discharged.

#### BELFAST MEN REMANDED.

Three Belfast men—James Silo, 42 Ormean road; Robert Burns, 54 Wilmer street, and John McElvanny, 26 Sunnyside—were remanded on the charge of the possession of a lady's cluster diamond ring, valued at £15, and offering it for pawn at 38 Cuffe street, Dublin. It was stated that the pawnbroker's assistant, becoming suspicious, sent for the police, and that the defendants then left the shop.

#### MOTORING OFFENCE.

Mr. Justice Arthur W. Samuels, of "Cloneykerseen," Howth, was discharged with a caution on a summons for failing to show a red light at the rear of his motor car, the defence being that a filament in the lamp was broken owing to the bad state of the roads.

#### THEFT OF RINGS.

Christopher Lyons, Belvidere road, Dublin, who was charged with breaking into a room in the residence of Mrs. Orpen, 58 Mountjoy square, and stealing therefrom three rings, valued at £2 9s., was allowed out on bail to keep the peace for twelve months.

#### CHARGE AGAINST POLE.

Jok Pellinoulk (25), described as a Russian Pole, who was charged on remand with being in illegal possession of a number of articles, was discharged, so as to allow an escort from Leeds to take him to England, where there are several charges against him.

DUBLIN CIRCUIT COURT.

### ROBBERY IN DUBLIN.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE DROMGOOLE.)

James Redmond and Patrick Delaney were charged with the armed robbery, on 8th December last, of the sum of £29 9s. 6d. from Peter Knowles, rent collector, of the Pembroke Urban Council.

Patrick Carroll, who had been indicted jointly with the prisoners previously and had pleaded guilty, was brought from the cells to give evidence. He said that Redmond and himself arranged to "hold up" Knowles at Stella Gardens. There was a third man in the conspiracy—a man named Keogh. He knew nothing about the prisoner Delaney.

On the evidence of other parties, however, the jury found Delaney guilty and Redmond not guilty. The latter was discharged, while Delaney was put back for sentence.

Peter Knowles gave evidence that he was accosted by three men, one of whom, armed with a revolver, threatened to shoot him if he did not hand over the bag which he had slung over his shoulder.

Gerald O'Neill, Stella Gardens, deposed to seeing three men standing in Stella Gardens at about the time of the robbery. Patrick Delaney was one of them. He could not recognise the prisoner Redmond.

In the course of his evidence Carroll, the third prisoner, said that the money which was stolen was divided among the conspirators.

The Judge—Was it divided fairly?

The Witness—I only got £6 odd.

#### OTHER ROBBERIES.

Andrew Howard, of Donabate, Co. Dublin, locally known as "Nut Howard," was sentenced to twelve months' imprisonment with hard labour for a series of robberies, to which he pleaded guilty.

William Fulham, convicted of stealing a clock from the National School at Cloghran, Co. Dublin, was sentenced to four months with hard labour, to date from December 8th, 1924.

It was announced that all county jurors must attend at 11 a.m. on Monday, on penalty of £5, and that no city jurors will be required before 11 a.m. on Wednesday next.

#### DUBLIN PROPERTY MARKET.

In our issue of the 6th inst., giving the result of Messrs. Battersby's sales held on the previous day, a clerical error occurred. It was incorrectly stated that No. 5 Merrion square, Dublin, had been sold, whereas the property sold was a rent out of No. 39 Merrion square, which had been formerly known under the old numbering as No. 5 Merrion square. Any erroneous impression regarding Dr. Robert Parnell, the owner of No. 5 Merrion square, created by the inaccuracy, is regretted by Messrs. Battersby and Co., who wish to make it clear that Dr. Parnell is not retiring from the practice of his profession at No. 5 Merrion square.

#### COMING AUCTIONS.

MESSRS. BATTERSBY and CO.

All the lots offered by Messrs. Battersby and Co.'s property sale on Friday have been sold. No. 1 Iona Drive, Glasnevin, and No. 32 St. Mary's terrace, Rathfarnham, were sold, with possession to purchaser, whilst a rent of £180 a year out of lands in County Kildare was also sold, and rents out of Nos. 2, 4, 6, and 8 Lower Beechwood avenue, Ranelagh, and out of Nos. 33, 34 and 36 Aungier, York, Rathmines, also changed hands. For their sale on the 5th March they announce some attractive lots, among them being Kincora, Dollymount, on 10 acres; Dollymount Cottage, close by, and the well-known Dollymount Hotel; Sandringham, Park avenue, Sydney Parade; 9 Summerhill, Dun Laoghaire; 11 Newtown avenue, Blackrock; also for the 3rd March they will sell the shop, fittings, and fixtures in Messrs. Hyam's old premises in Dame street; and for their sale on the 19th March, 16 Harcourt street, 71 Leinster road, Glenbervie, Bray; and 19 New street.

MESSRS. DOCKRELL.

On 24th inst., at their property salerooms, Messrs. Dockrell will sell the extensive premises of Messrs. Calvert and Lundy, 29 and 30 Fleet street, and 88 Finds, a modern detached house on Sandford road. On Wednesday and Friday, 25th and 27th, they will sell at Ballyoven Clondalkin, Mr. Bewley's valuable herd of 70 Jersey cattle and 65 large white York pigs together with horses, hay, potatoes, mangolds, manure and a large quantity of farm implements. On Thursday, 12th March, they will offer Carrigmoreen, Kilmacy, standing on 9 acres; 20 Lemon Park, and five Life Policies of £1,000, £500, £250, £60 and £300.

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### SERVICES AND ANTHEMS.

#### QUINQUAGESIMA.

St. Patrick's Cathedral—Holy Communion, 11.15; Matins, 11.30; Litany, 3; Evensong, 3.15; Preacher, Dr. Bruce. St. Audoen's—Holy Communion, 11.30. St. Bartholomew's—Holy Communion, 8 and 11.30; Evensong, 7. Christ Church Cathedral—Holy Communion, 8 and 12; Matins, 10; Evensong, 3.30; Preacher, Rev. C. H. Kemmis. Christ Church, Leeson Park—Holy Communion, 8 and 11.30; Evensong, 7; Preacher, Rev. H. Turner. St. Columba's College, Rathfarnham—Holy Communion, 8; Evensong, 7; Preacher, Rev. H. Turner. St. Columba's Church of Ireland, Rathmines—Holy Communion, 8 and 11.30; Evensong, 7; Preacher, Rev. H. Turner. St. Columba's Presbyterian, Rathmines—Holy Communion, 11.30; Evensong, 7; Preacher, Rev. S. G. Sullivan. St. Stephen's—Holy Communion, 8 and 11.30; Evensong, 7; Preacher, Rev. J. Hamilton. St. Ann's Church, Dawson street—8, Holy Communion; 11, Matins; 7, Evensong; Preacher, Rev. H. Kelly. St. Matthias, Donnybrook—8, Holy Communion; 11.30, Matins and Holy Communion; 7, Evensong; Preacher, Rev. Canon Williams. St. Mary's, Haddington road—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion; 7, Evensong; Preacher, Rev. J. Hamilton. Christ Church, Leeson Park—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion; 7, Evensong; Preacher, Rev. H. Turner. St. Columba's College, Rathfarnham—Holy Communion, 8; Evensong, 7; Preacher, Rev. H. Turner. St. Columba's Church of Ireland, Rathmines—Holy Communion, 8 and 11.30; Evensong, 7; Preacher, Rev. H. Turner. St. Columba's Presbyterian, Rathmines—Holy Communion, 11.30; Evensong, 7; Preacher, Rev. S. G. Sullivan. St. Stephen's—Holy Communion, 8 and 11.30; Evensong, 7; Preacher, Rev. J. Hamilton. Christ Church—Holy Communion, 8 and 12; Evensong, 7; Preacher, Rev. H. Kelly. St. Matthias, Donnybrook—8, Holy Communion; 11.30, Matins and Holy Communion; 7, Evensong; Preacher, Rev. J. Hamilton. St. Ann's Church, Dawson street—8, Holy Communion; 11, Matins; 7, Evensong; Preacher, Rev. H. Kelly. St. Mary's, Haddington road—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion; 7, Evensong; Preacher, Rev. J. Hamilton. Christ Church—Holy Communion, 8 and 12; Evensong, 7; Preacher, Rev. H. Kelly. St. Philip's Church, Milltown—8, Holy Communion; 11.30, Matins and Holy Communion; 7, Evening Prayer. Rathfarnham Parish Church—8, Holy Communion; 11.30, Morning Prayer; 7, Evening Prayer. Terenure Parish Church—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion; 7, Evening Prayer. Christ Church, Leeson Park—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion; 7, Evensong; Preacher, Rev. H. Turner. St. Columba's College, Rathfarnham—Holy Communion, 8; Evensong, 7; Preacher, Rev. H. Turner. St. Columba's Church of Ireland, Rathmines—Holy Communion, 8 and 11.30; Evensong, 7; Preacher, Rev. H. Turner. St. Columba's Presbyterian, Rathmines—Holy Communion, 11.30; Evensong, 7; Preacher, Rev. S. G. Sullivan. St. Stephen's—Holy Communion, 8 and 11.30; Evensong, 7; Preacher, Rev. J. Hamilton. Christ Church—Holy Communion, 8 and 12; Evensong, 7; Preacher, Rev. H. Kelly. St. Philip's Church, Milltown—8, Holy Communion; 11.30, Matins and Holy Communion; 7, Evening Prayer. Rathfarnham Parish Church—8, Holy Communion; 11.30, Morning Prayer; 7, Evening Prayer. Terenure Parish Church—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion; 7, Evensong; Preacher, Rev. H. Turner. St. Columba's College, Rathfarnham—Holy Communion, 8; Evensong, 7; Preacher, Rev. H. Turner. St. Columba's Church of Ireland, Rathmines—Holy Communion, 8 and 11.30; Evensong, 7; Preacher, Rev. H. Turner. St. Columba's Presbyterian, Rathmines—Holy Communion, 11.30; Evensong,

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SURGEON McARDLE WILL PRESIDE.
PUBLIC MEETINGS TO BE HELD:
GREYSTONES, 25th FEBRUARY, GRAND HOTEL, 8.30 p.m.
DUNDALK, 26th FEBRUARY, CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, 8.15 p.m.
LONGFORD, 4th MARCH, COURTHOUSE, 8 p.m.
SLIGO, 5th MARCH, CAFE CAIRO, 12.30 p.m.
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Owing to illness Miss
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Miss BEATRICE HARRISON,
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Dublin, February, 1925.

BELFAST READERS.
THE IRISH TIMES is due to arrive in Belfast at 9.10 a.m. If it is not delivered within that time, intending purchasers will please communicate with our Branch Office, 130 Royal Avenue.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL.
FORTHCOMING BY-ELECTIONS.
TO SECURE A VICTORY FOR
PEACE AND ORDER
FUNDS ARE NEEDED.
A SUBSCRIPTION LIST IS NOW OPEN.
Cheques, etc., may be made payable to THOS. MONTGOMERY, Esq., Solicitor, Treasurer to the Election Fund, and sent to 6 Fitzwilliam Square.

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL.—CUMANN SEAMUS UI DUBHIR, BATH O MAINE.
VOTERS' CLAIMS.
An Office for the purpose of filling in Claim Forms for those entitled to be included on the Electors' Lists will be opened in the Round Room Hall (near entrance to Leinster Cricket Ground), Observatory lane, Rathmines, on To-day (Saturday), 21st inst., from 9.30 to 10 p.m.
SECURE YOUR VOTE NOW.

NOTICE OF CHANGE OF NAME.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that WILLIAM FREDERICK MAYBURY-BAYLOR, of Ballybrittas, Ballybrittas, in the County of Cork, heretofore known as William Frederick Baylor, being a subject of the Irish Free State, has by Deed Poll dated the 16th day of January, 1925, and enrolled in the Office of Judgments, Records and Writs of the High Court of Justice, Sackville Terrace, Chancery Division, renounced and abandoned his surname of Baylor, and has assumed and adopted the surname of Maybury-Baylor, and intends henceforth to use and be known by the said surname and all deeds, documents, actions, proceedings, matters and things to be sued in the name of Maybury-Baylor, in lieu of his former name of Baylor.
Dated this 16th day of January, 1925.
WILLIAM FREDERICK MAYBURY-BAYLOR.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FOURTEENTH ANNUAL MEETING of the Members of
THE ROYAL UNITED KINGDOM BENEFICENT ASSOCIATION
Will be held at ALDINE HOUSE, 13 BEDFORD STREET, STRAND, London, W.C., on TUESDAY, MARCH 10, 1925, at 3.15 p.m., to receive the Report and Accounts of the Committee for the Year 1924; to Elect Members of the Committee and Auditors, and to consider, and, if thought fit, to make the following proposed Alterations in the By-Laws, due notice of which has been given to the Secretary:—
Proposed, that in By-Law 2, which now runs as follows:—
"The exclusive right of determining whether a person is eligible as a candidate or not shall be vested in the Committee, whose decision shall be final; but the following persons shall not be eligible:—
"(1) Persons in receipt of an income of more than fifty pounds per annum, or under forty years of age.
"(2)
"(3) Persons who are, or have been, in receipt of poor relief."
Sixty-five" be substituted for "fifty" in Sub-section (1).
Sub-Section (4) be deleted.
That in By-Law 3, which now runs as follows:—
"Every candidate must be nominated on the form prescribed by the Committee by a Member or other person entitled to attend a General Meeting personally acquainted with such candidate, and must furnish the Committee, at their public meeting, with evidence of age and of means, a medical certificate, and the names of two or more referees, one of whom must be a clergyman or Minister."
The words "should be a clergyman or minister, a magistrate, a barrister, or a solicitor," be substituted for the words "must be a clergyman or minister."
That in By-Law 33, in which new runs as follows:—
"The Committee may accept money or investments or properties given OR BEQUEATHED to the Association upon the terms that the income thereof shall be applied for the benefit of, or that in consideration of such gift OR BEQUEST immediate annuities shall be granted to, such persons (approved by the Committee) as in the case of gift, THE DONOR MAY DIRECT, OR IN HIS LIFETIME FROM TIME TO TIME AP-POINT, or (b) in the case of a bequest, as by the testator may by his will direct, or on such other terms as the Committee may from time to time approve."
That the words in Capitals be inserted in By-Law 33 (1), so that it will run as follows:—
"All devises and bequests shall (unless otherwise directed by the testator) BE SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF BY-LAW 35, be retained or invested, and the income or interest only applied for the purposes of the Association."
That in By-Law 35 the words in Capitals be inserted so that it will run as follows:—
"Any clergyman or minister devoting the proceeds of an offertory to the Association shall be entitled to one vote for every five shillings at each Election or Meeting occurring within the space of twelve calendar months immediately following the date of such payment, at his option (such option to be signified in writing at the time making payment) to two votes FOR EVERY TEN POUNDS at each occasion held during his life."
(Signed) T. P. HUSSEY, Secretary.
19th February, 1925.

INFANT AID SOCIETY.
ANNUAL MEETING
will be held in the
ENGINEERS' HALL, 6 DAWSON STREET,
On MONDAY NEXT, FEBRUARY 23rd,
at 7.45 p.m.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY.
(Diocese of Dublin, Glendalough, and Kildare).
EXTENSION WEEK—MARCH 1st to 8th, 1925.
Wednesday, 4th March, at 8 p.m., Great Meeting for Girls in the Metropolitan Hall. Chief Speakers: The Most Rev. Archbishop of Dublin, over by His Grace. The Hon. Lady Ouseley and Canon A. Services in St. Ann's Church—Thursday, 5th March, at 8 a.m., 1.5 p.m., and 8.30 p.m. Sunday, 8th March, at 8.15 a.m., and 8.30 p.m.
REGISTRATION OF CLUBS (IRELAND) ACT, 1904, Etc.
Take Notice that I intend to make application for a Renewal of the Certificate of Registration of the Roscommon Social Club, situate at Market Square, Roscommon.
Dated this 20th day of February, 1925.
H. I. McCOURT, Secretary.

CONTRACTS.
COMMISSIONERS OIBREACH PUBLI (Commissioners of Public Works).
NOTICE TO ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS.
Sealed Tenders addressed to the undersigned will be received up to, but not later than, 12 o'clock noon on the 15th March, 1925, for the provision of a new system of Electric Lighting at the Civic Guard Depot, Phoenix Park, in accordance with the plans and specification all of which may be seen at this office, obtained on application or inspected at any time during office hours. Each Tender must be accompanied by a deposit of £1, which will be refunded on return of the plans and specification.
In considering the placing of this contract special regard will be had to the extent to which firms submitting Tenders employ or are prepared to employ demobilised officers and men of the National Army.
The Commissioners will not be bound to accept the lowest or any Tender.
By Order,
J. J. HEALY, Secretary.
Office Oibreach Publi (Office of Public Works), Baile Atha Cliath (Dublin), 20th February, 1925.
COUNTY BOROUGH OF DUBLIN.
SUPPLY OF LARGE STONE.
The Commissioners of the County Borough of Dublin are prepared to receive Tenders for the Supply of a quantity of large pieces of Limestone, for work which they are carrying out at Pigeon House Fort. Particulars may be obtained from the City Electrical Engineer at their Fleet street, Dublin, on or after 23rd February, 1925. Tenders, marked "Tenders for Stone," and addressed to the Commissioners of the County Borough of Dublin, Fleet street, Dublin, will be received up to 12 noon on Wednesday, 4th March, 1925.
JOHN J. MURPHY, Town Clerk.
20th February, 1925.

SERMONS.
THE
ANNUAL CHARITY SERMON
In Aid of
ST. MARY MAGDALEN'S ASYLUM,
DONNYBROOK
(Under the Care of the Sisters of Charity),
Will be Preached in the
CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART,
DONNYBROOK,
On QUINQUAGESIMA SUNDAY, FEB. 22nd, 1925,
By the REV. PATRICK POWER, S.J.
(St. Francis Xavier's, Gardiner Street).
The Sisters earnestly request that their friends, with their usual generosity, will help them to keep the doors of Refuge and Shelter open to many penitents, who are endeavouring to tear themselves away from evil habits and surroundings, to love and serve Him Who died to redeem them. They provide daily for their penitents.
Many unavoidable expenses are continually occurring which make the Collection impossible to appeal to the Institution. The smallest donation will be most gratefully received by the Superioress.

NEW CHURCH
OF
OUR LADY OF LOURDES,
Lr. GLOUCESTER STREET, DUBLIN.
A temporary Building has been erected on the site selected for the New Church, which is badly needed in this locality.
It is already crowded, and the Shrine has aroused a deep spirit of Devotion to Our Lady of Lourdes, with most beneficial results among the people.
The Accommodation afforded by the Temporary Structure is inadequate. The Administrator strongly appeals to see Catholics of Dublin and of Ireland for the means to undertake the building of the New Church. The district being one of the most densely populated and poorest in the city, little pecuniary aid can be expected from it.
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Pavilion Theatre—"The Rustle of Silk." 3.50 to 10.15 p.m.
Metropole Cinema—"The Woman."
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Dominican College Dramatic Union—Dramatic and Operatic Entertainment in aid of the Poor.
Upper O'Connell Street Hall—Irish Industries Exhibition.
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The Irish Times.
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1925.


## NEWS SUMMARY.

### IRELAND.

Sir James Craig, speaking at Mulnahorn and Aughnacloy yesterday, referred to the curfew withdrawal and the question of religion in the schools.—(Page 7.)

The Free State Senate yesterday passed an amendment to the Local Government Bill making valuable concessions to persons who build new houses or reconstruct old ones.—(Page 5.)

The debate on the system of public accountancy was continued in the Free State Senate yesterday. Mr. Blythe said that the question of reform was not urgent.—(Page 7.)

We publish to-day the views of party leaders on the by-elections that are pending.—(Page 7.)

### GREAT BRITAIN.

The Ministry of Agriculture in England has issued an Order prohibiting the importation into Great Britain of potatoes grown in Canada owing to the risk of introducing the Colorado beetle.—(Page 7.)

Mr. Whiteley (Labour), in the House of Commons yesterday, moved the second reading of a bill that proposed to give the franchise to women at the age of 21. A Government amendment that was adopted, in effect, postponed any change in the franchise until a suitable scheme of reform should be brought before the House within the lifetime of the present Parliament.—(Page 6.)

### ABROAD.

Works of art valued at £100,000 have been stolen from a mansion at Hollywood, California.—(Page 7.)

### SPORTING.

In the deciding course of the Waterloo Cup at Altcar yesterday Mr. H. C. Pilkington's Pentonville beat Mr. J. Bell-Irving ns. Lawman.—(Page 4.)

At Hurst Park Crock Hill won the Roehampton Handicap Hurdle Race.—(Page 4.)

### FINANCIAL

London Stocks were steady, but business was small. Teas, Mines and Oils were firm.—(Page 10.)

Treasury bills were placed at the slightly higher average of 3 11-16 per cent. Loans over the night were easier at 3½-3 per cent. The foreign Exchanges were fairly steady.—(Page 10.)

Dublin Market was also steady. Royal Banks rose ⅛ to 14⅞. Dublin Distillers fell 3s. 6d. to 46s. 6d. Guinness Shares firm and higher.—(Page 10.)

## Ministers and Critics.

Just a month ago, in the Free State Senate, Sir John Keane criticised the Government's system of public accountancy and proposed the appointment of a committee of reform. He showed that under the existing system the publication of the Government's accounts is belated and is made in a shape so confusing that the taxpayer is left virtually in the dark. It was this confusion which enabled Mr. Dillon to make his baseless, but plausible, charges; and it is notorious that the Army accounts, in their present form, convey no useful information to anybody. The Minister for Finance was in the Senate when Sir John Keane spoke; but his reply was not given until yesterday, when the debate on the motion for a committee of experts was resumed. If, in the interval, Mr. Blythe "slept on." Sir John's statements, his slumbers were not profitable. He made no serious attempt to reply to the specific criticisms. He admits that the public accounts are not "so full or clear as they might be," and promises to consider the question of their improvement; but he declares that the matter is not urgent and that his officials' time is claimed by more important business. Moreover, Mr. Blythe reveals himself, unexpectedly, as a firm champion of the British way—in curious contrast with most of his colleagues, who made haste to eliminate everything British, from the King's head on the *Saorstat's* postage stamps to the judges' wigs in the *Saorstat's* courts of law. The Ministry of Finance has maintained the British system of public accountancy, "and that system," says Mr. Blythe, in effect, "is good enough for me." His officials, no doubt—like Gibbon on a famous occasion—have "sighed as a lover and obeyed as a son." Sir John Keane, however, had no difficulty in showing that Mr. Blythe's loyalty to the British system was somewhat quixotic. The English people themselves have become dissatisfied with a system which has fallen behind the national needs, and at this moment a committee of experts is considering the question of reform. Having heard Mr. Blythe yesterday, the Senate passed a unanimous vote in favour of the appointment of a like committee by the Free State Government.

Mr. Blythe's speech was unconvincing, and it had an even more serious fault: its temper was indefensible. In criticising the State's accounts Sir John Keane did what he conceived to be a public duty and did it in a quite moderate and impersonal fashion. It is acknowledged, too, that he has made a careful study of the subject and speaks on it with authority. Unhappily, Mr. Blythe chose to regard Sir John Keane's speech as a direct attack upon himself and to charge it with something worse than prejudice. He denounced it as a "diatribe." He divided the critics of the public accounts into two classes—those who do not take the trouble to understand and those who are "determined not to understand"; and he put Sir John Keane in the latter category. This sort of talk was not argument, and was equally unworthy of the speaker and of his audience. Mr. Blythe is almost the last of the Free State's Ministers whom we should wish to call to task. He is an able and energetic man, and we think that the country is very fortunate, at its most hazardous stage of construction, to have secured his qualities of courage and candour at the Ministry of Finance. If this were an isolated instance of impatience of fair criticism, we should be content to ignore it—attributing it, perhaps, to the strain of our wholly unnecessary by-elections. We fear, however, that Mr. Blythe's speech yesterday revealed not merely an individual, but an official frame of mind. The Government, as a body, is far too apt to resent well-informed and well-intentioned criticism, and to detect personal animus in natural anxiety for the public welfare. It is reluctant to seek helpful advice from every quarter, and by its ossitrared habit of life and thought it is in danger of losing—and sometimes does lose—touch with national opinion: we mention, without comment, the over-drastic provisions of the new Treason Bill. These are faults of youth, but they ought not to have survived three years of crowded experience. Thackeray, that profound student of human nature, loved to quote the Latin wisdom that—

*ingenuus didicisse fideliter artes*
*Emollit mores nec sinit esse feros.*

Our Ministers have graduated in a stern school, but they must not be less willing, on that account, to study the gentler arts of statesmanship.

## France's Problem.

The continued fall of the French franc is causing much anxiety in financial circles. Yesterday M. François-Marsal, formerly Minister for Finance in the French Government, contributed a long letter to *The Times*, in which he defended the French Treasury against recent criticisms; and, although his arguments obviously were in the nature of special pleading, some of them, in view of France's present position, were very interesting. British experts have been inclined to attribute the financial plight of the French Government to its persistent refusal to levy taxes or, having levied them, to collect them, and its obstinate adherence to the formula which M. Caillaux condemned so roundly in a recent speech—namely, that "Germany will pay." M. François-Marsal declares that, in actual fact, France is taxed more heavily than Britain. This statement is so startling that it requires explanation. According to M. François-Marsal's reckoning, Britain in 1914 was collecting 7.24 *per cent.* of her national income in taxes, whereas France was collecting 11.52 *per cent.* Taking 100 as representing the yield of taxes in both countries at that date, he declares that Britain now collects 262, as compared with France's 196; but, in view of the fact that Britain's income is almost exactly double the income of France, the latter's burden proportionately is heavier than that of Britain. Indeed, whereas Mr. Philip Snowden calculated the Briton's contribution *per* head to be £15 8s., as compared with £6 18s. by the Frenchman, M. François-Marsal quotes an American professor, who declares that the average burden of the British taxpayer during the last two years was only ninety-eight dollars, while the French taxpayer was assessed at over one hundred dollars.

The truth is, of course, that accurate comparison between the fiscal yields of Britain and France is impossible; for the systems are entirely different. M. François-Marsal may be quite correct in his figures, but they really are beside the point. The proof of the pudding is in the eating. Why is the franc falling, while sterling is as steady as a rock? Why is M. Clementel forced to pay eight and a half *per cent.* for loans with which to rebuild the devastated areas; and why is it almost impossible for the French Government to raise a foreign loan at a reasonable figure? The answer is that France has been living far beyond her means since the war. She has based her expenditure not on her yield of taxes, but on the amount which ought to have been realised. Fiscal fraud, undoubtedly, has been practised on an enormous scale, and hitherto the French Government has made no really serious effort to collect its direct taxes. Now M. François-Marsal asserts that, while Britain's taxes have been devoted to debt reduction, the French yield has been swallowed up in the reconstruction of devastated areas. In this connection official figures refute M. François-Marsal's statement and show that the work in the devastated areas has been financed chiefly by loans and the manufacture of credit. This process has created an illusion of prosperity, since it has encouraged trade and has given widespread employment; but it is bad finance, and France is paying for it now. We have much sympathy with the French point of view. France has been disappointed sorely in regard to German reparations and has seen many of her fond dreams shattered during the past few years. It is only natural that she should resent criticism of her failure to keep her finances in order; but resentment will not save her from bankruptcy. She must reform her whole system immediately, and the fact that M. Caillaux has returned to public life is not without significance. He is an exceedingly sinister figure in French politics, but he has a consummate knowledge of the problems of national finance.

## Art in Ireland.

Art is long, but in this country money is "short." Want of money deprives our people of artistic training and sends our best craftsmen to richer lands. Here crudities of taste offend the eye at every turn—from the dizzy designs on stamps to the ugly masses of new-built brick which pass for public art. We applaud what other nations would abhor and are satisfied to see our streets made ugly with hoardings and with hideous lettering. In search of a native art, shopkeepers write up their names in mis-spelt Irish, with an ugly elaboration which passes for beauty; and nowhere are more of these perverted Celtic splendours to be seen than over the squalid doorways of gin-shops in the slums. Education in art is a crying national need. It is curious to observe that our country people, who have a fine ear for the music of words and for intricate old airs, appear to be blind to visible art. Showiness alone impresses them, and they seem to be unable to distinguish, for example, a realistic drawing from a child's scribbled sketch. The Royal Dublin Society has voted what is, in respect of its means, a generous sum for the provision of scholarships and prizes in art competitions which will be held in connection with the Horse Show. The aim is to foster the popular study of art and thus to refine the life of those whose betterment the Society seeks. In days when material values are set so high it may be well to remark that this is no waste of funds on merely decorative doings. An improved artistic taste would be of practical service to the nation. To-day the graceful trade-mark, the neat letter-heading and similar details are studied scrupulously by every good business house. A nation which exports its goods in a clumsy, tasteless fashion, and betrays backwardness of culture in all its outward forms, will not compete successfully with the keen-eyed and fine-handed Danes.

## Seafarers.

Sail on, O Ship of State!" said Longfellow to the American Union; and last night Mr. Kipling exhorted Great Britain in a similar fashion. Moored between two continents, and riding to cross-seas, H.M.S. Great Britain, he said, carried forty-five million passengers and never had more than six weeks' supplies of consumable stores aboard her at one time. This comparison of an island nation with a ship is a fine and suggestive metaphor. The peoples of these two islands can stand aloof from the frontier quarrels which beset the other lands of Europe; their complement of passengers, like folk aboard ships at sea, has the making or marring of its environment in its own hands. Mutiny must bring disaster; loyalty and good-will can ensure prosperity and happiness. The sailorly virtues in her people have given Great Britain her age-long peace, her security against foreign foes, her power and her wealth. For her race the sea was but the road before their doors. Far distant coasts were as familiar to the folk of Devon as the upland moors behind their little seaports. To-day these islands depend largely for their food supplies, and wholly for their security and prosperity, on the British ships which still travel the old, familiar paths. The seafaring instinct abides in the children of Drake's and Nelson's sailors. Other lands, however, are building larger numbers of ships than of old, and Great Britain is losing much of her former monopoly in the carrying trade. Yet the intercourse between the nations of the British Commonwealth alone would demand the maintenance of the maritime tradition.

### IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT.

## PROPOSED WOMANHOOD FRANCHISE.

## GOVERNMENT'S AMENDMENT CARRIED.

FROM OUR PARLIAMENTARY CORRESPONDENT.

*WESTMINSTER, Friday.*

Two points of great interest marked this afternoon's debate in Parliament. In the first place, it was the first Friday in the new session available for a private member's bill, and, in the next, the subject under discussion was one to which a large number of Conservative members had pledged themselves at the last general election.

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The bill, the second reading of which was moved by Mr. Whiteley, the Labour member for Blaydon, was designed to give the Parliamentary franchise to women at the age of 21, on the same terms as men. If carried, it would add over four mill

# BY-ELECTION FORECASTS.

## PARTY LEADERS' OPTIMISM.

## VOTERS' APATHY

## CHIEF DANGER TO GOVERNMENT.

**Nominations ..... Feb. 26.**
**Polling ..... March 11.**

Only eighteen days remain for party activity in the seven constituencies where by-elections are pending. As usual, all the parties say that they are confident of winning. The following statements were made by the several directors of elections yesterday:—

Government Party:—"We are doing much better than we would have thought in all the constituencies. Three weeks ago our feeling was that if we could win five of the nine seats, we should be doing none too badly. To-day our feeling is that we will have been singularly unlucky if the 11th March does not disclose substantial majorities in favour of eight of the nine candidates nominated by us."

Republican Party:—"We have no doubt whatever that we will win at least four—and possibly six—of the nine seats.

Farmers' Party:—"We have only one candidate in the field. We are quite confident that Mr. O'Hanlon will be the new member for Cavan. Already the electors of that constituency have shown by their enthusiasm in the cause of Mr. O'Hanlon's candidature that the election of a farmers' representative is the necessity of the county."

Labour:—"We believe that we will get both our candidates (for Dublin) returned. That we shall get at least one seat we have no doubt whatever."

Appended are special notes on the elections by the Correspondents of the *Irish Times* in the constituencies:—

*CAVAN.*

With all three parties claiming marked success in the election campaign it is no easy matter to predict which will find itself at the top when the votes are counted. On the whole, however, the biggest volume of support seems to be behind the Farmers' candidate. There is scarcely any doubt that the issue must be between his candidature and that of the Government nominee.

*SLIGO-LEITRIM.*

The Ministerial Party expects to have its two candidates—Messrs. Martin Roddy and Andrew Mooney—returned by large majorities, and the support of this view point to the successful and enthusiastic meetings which have been recently held in districts where but a short time ago the Republicans held unchallengeable sway. The efforts which are being made by the Government to relieve distress by providing employment on necessary local works, and the provision of fuel for the poor, have—notwithstanding the cry of the opposing parties that these are only election bribes—had a good effect, and the electors are more inclined to support the "substance than the shadow."

So far as the views of the Republican Party can be ascertained, they expect one of the two seats, and hold that Leitrim, more especially the southern portion, will vote solidly for Mr. Holt.

In the matter of organisation there is little to choose between the parties, and it is expected that there will be an exhaustive poll. The Government Party will benefit if the poll is heavy, and machinery is being perfected to ensure that, so far as possible, there will be no abtentions.

Another correspondent says that it is believed in Leitrim that, unless a united vote is given for the two candidates of one side in each county, neither party can hope to return its two candidates, and that one of each party will be elected.

*NORTH MAYO.*

Both sides profess themselves confident of victory. The Republicans point to the big increase in their vote last time as compared with the General Election, and assert that they have a certain vote of 18,000 in the constituency. They also contend that at the recent by-election they suffered by faulty transport arrangements

The Cumann na nGaedhel Party, on the other hand, point to the awakening of a keener interest in their ranks on this occasion. One can sense a change of outlook, though it is somewhat difficult to define or describe.

So far the Republicans have not been nearly so active as the Government Party in the matter of public meetings, nor have they yet provided a committee room in the constituency headquarters.

On the whole, the feeling is that if the apathy of many thousands of the older people, who are known to be in favour of the Government, can be overcome, and can be induced to exercise the franchise, the seat will be won for the Government by a substantial majority.

Complaint is made of the imperfect manner in which the register of voters has been prepared. At last election both sides were loud in their condemnation of the situation of polling booths and districts. The Minister for Local Government has sealed order established new polling districts, though the alterations made are not entirely acceptable to the Republican members of the County Council.

*ROSCOMMON.*

Both parties have been active throughout the constituency for the last fortnight holding meetings and canvassing. The Republication organisation was in a better condition to contest the election than the Cumann na nGaedheal, as their propaganda work had been going on for months before the campaign was entered upon. The Cumann na nGaedheal, however, have got into working order, and the organisers are satisfied with the result of the work for the last fortnight.

Both the organisers and the members of the Cumann na nGaedheal Election Committee feel confident of the success of their candidate, Mr. Martin Conlon, and the Chairman of the Cumann na nGaedheal Committee, the Very Rev. Canon Cunnane, who is taking an active part in the election, says:—"Honest, thoughtful and industrious people, who have everything to lose and nothing to gain by prolonged strife and disorder, will vote for peace and stable government. The Free State will win Roscommon by a big majority."

Mr. O'Duffy, director of elections for the Republican Party, says that their prospects are very rosy, and he has not the slightest doubt but that Mr. J. J. O'Kelly will be returned.

*CARLOW-KILKENNY.*

A feature of the contest seems to be that the personality of the candidates counts for less than in any previous election, and whatever the result may be, it will be a victory for the policy rather than the candidate.

Both Mr. Bolger, the Government candidate, and Mr. Barry, the Republican candidate, were also candidates at the last general election, but the amount of support they then received was comparatively insignificant. So far as it is possible to form an opinion, the return of the Government candidate seems pretty certain, but there is a great diversity of opinion as to the extent of the majority. His most sanguine supporters speak of a 2 or even 3 to 1 majority, but if this is to happen, a great deal of the apathy that now exists will have to disappear.

There is no doubt that there is widespread apathy in the constituency, and the meetings held in support of Mr. Bolger have not been remarkable either for numbers or enthusiasm. Against this, however, it is claimed that large bodies of electors who consistently and study it well, reading and re-reading it, refuse to attend meetings will not refuse to record their votes.

Apart from the big demonstration addressed by Mr. de Valera in Kilkenny a fortnight

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# THE NO INCOME TAX SCHEME.

## VIEWS OF DR. DOWSE

## STRIKING AT THE ROOTS OF OVER-TAXATION.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
*CORK, Friday.*

The proposal .. abolish income tax on incomes and dividends earned in the Free State was referred to yesterday at the annual general meeting of the Cork Savings Bank.

The Right Rev. Dr. Dowse, Bishop of Cork, said that he was in Dublin recently, and noticed the great stir that was made by the proposal for the abolition of income tax.

People seemed to think that it was too good to be true, but there was a feeling of satisfaction that the Cork business people were taking such a step. It showed that the Cork business men were thinking of the future welfare of their country, and were striking at the very root of their difficulties—those of over-taxation.

If such difficulties could be curtailed, they would find that the prosperity of their country and their people would grow and increase, and that unemployment would diminish.

That meeting was a symbol of the unity that ought to exist between all classes in connection with the welfare and advancement of their country. They came there with one aim and object—to try to better the social and economic conditions of their country and their people, and as they joined together in such a splendid effort, they would find a repercussion of it on all their lives, and in the future progress and welfare of their country.

# THE KING.

## MAKING SATISFACTORY PROGRESS.

The King is making satisfactory progress. The bronchial trouble from which he is suffering is more evident during the night than in the day-time, and it was stated at 10 o'clock last night that His Majesty had been more comfortable during the day.

The bulletin issued yesterday morning said that, "in spite of a somewhat restless night, His Majesty the King is making slow progress."

The Press Association adds that the doctors were somewhat longer with the King this morning.

# DUNLOP RUBBER COMPANY.

## DIVIDEND RUMOURS.

With the approach of the time for the issue of the report of the Dunlop Rubber Company (writes the City Editor of the *Westminster Gazette* to-day) discussion increases as to the prospect of a dividend on the Ordinary Shares. There are £15,000,000 of these shares of 6s. 8d. each, and they have changed hands freely the last day or two at about 11s.—equal to 33s. for £1 shares.

It is understood that the company has done extremely well, but at the same time large sums have been distributed on the Preference Shares, and capital requirements will also have been large. Under such circumstances no surprise would be occasioned were the Board to pursue a conservative policy as to dividends, even in the event of their finding themselves in a position to pay a dividend.

Again, even should a small dividend be decided upon, the current quotation for the shares would appear to be quite high enough, except on the ground of "prospects."

# THE ELEVEN-PENNY LOAF.

## WHY IT COSTS SO MUCH.

Speaking at the annual meeting, in London yesterday, of the Chamber of Shipping of the United Kingdom, the President, Mr. John Denholm, gave some interesting figures dealing with the rise to 11d. in the price of the 4lb. loaf.

During the winter months Canadian wheat from Calgary had to be carried 2,700 miles to St. John, and then 2,920 miles by liner to London. The total cost of the carriage was 72s., of which the liner got 14s.

In other words, the cost of transport represented three-halfpence on the 4lb. loaf, of which the liner got one farthing and the railways five farthings.

# NEW ART COMPETITION.

## ROYAL DUBLIN SOCIETY'S ENTERPRISE.

The Council of the Royal Dublin Society has approved a scheme submitted by the Industries, Art and General Purposes Committee for the establishment of a national competition to encourage art.

The meeting of the Council, which was held last Thursday, considered that the scheme would, it be laid before the members at a meeting to be held on March 12 next, is most satisfactory.

A grant has been made to the Committee of Science to enable it to establish a research fund, out of which assistance can be given to those engaged in scientific research.

## REBUILDING AT BALLSBRIDGE.

Reconstruction work at the Society's premises in Ballsbridge is well advanced. Alterations to the West Hall will be completed by the time of the Spring Show. The rebuilding of the Art Industries Hall, to make it suitable for a lounge and reading room, and also for use as a concert hall, will be completed by next August.

Among other improvements to be made in the accommodation at Ballsbridge is the provision of a recreation room for men in charge of exhibits at the shows, and sleeping accommodation for those who are in charge of live stock during the nights.

# THE LIQUOR ACT.

## JUSTICE'S ADVICE TO PUBLICANS.

For supplying drink to *bona fide* travellers during prohibited hours, Mr. George Lawder, Jamiston, at the Carrick-on-Shannon District Court yesterday, was ordered to contribute £1 to the funds of the St. Vincent de Paul Society. The men to whom the drink was supplied were discharged.

The Justice (Mr. Kenny) said that the case should be a warning to publicans, whom he would advise to procure a copy of the Act (which he considered "terribly severe") and study it well, reading and re-reading it, so as to get several ideas of the terms.

Mr. Pettit, solicitor, remarked that it would take them all their time to understand it."

# POTATOES FROM CANADA.

## ENGLAND PROHIBITS IMPORTATION.

The prohibition of the importation of potatoes from Canada into Great Britain and Northern Ireland is announced.

It will be remembered (says an official statement issued by the British Ministry of Agriculture) that in December last the Ministry felt it necessary to prohibit the importation into England and Wales of potatoes grown in the United States in order to guard against the importation into this country of the destructive Colorado beetle with which the potato fields over large areas of the United States are infested. It was recognised at the time that consideration would have to be given to the necessity for similar action in regard to the potatoes grown in Canada, and inquiries have accordingly been made as to the prevalence of the Colorado beetle in the potato-growing districts of the Dominion.

It appears as a result of these inquiries that the continued importation of Canadian potatoes involves a risk of the introduction of the beetle into this country, and the Ministry have accordingly issued the Colorado Beetle Order of 1925, prohibiting the importation into England and Wales of potatoes grown in Canada.

The Order comes into operation immediately, but provision is made for the admission of any consignments that may already have been shipped.

# IRISH DOG BEATEN.

## FAVOURITE WINS THE WATERLOO CUP.

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.
*LIVERPOOL, Friday.*

Regarded last night as a foregone conclusion, the Waterloo Cup petered out into a hollow victory for the favourite, Pentonville. The wins which he achieved to-day were the easiest that he had gained since he went to slips for the first course on Wednesday. The success of Mr. Pilkington's puppy was extremely popular, for the crowds realised that the Cup had been won by the best greyhound in the stake, and, whether he wins his money or loses it, the English sportsman is content so long as the victory goes to the one that deserves it most.

At no time to-day was the result in the least doubt. As a matter of fact, the winner of the Cup beat Sauce Boat pointless, and in the deciding course he allowed his second opponent, Lawman, to score only a few points.

The Irish greyhound, Honey Boy, was thought to have a good chance of reaching the final, but evidently he was harder run than we thought, for he was led by four lengths and very well beaten.

It was one of the most successful Waterloo Cups on record.

[A special discription will be found on Page 4.]

# CATTLE EXPORTS FROM CORK.

## CONFERENCE WITH SHIPPING COMPANIES.

A conference between representatives of the cattle trade in the South of Ireland and the City of Cork Steam Packet Company and the Clyde Shipping Company was held yesterday in the Imperial Hotel, Cork.

Owing to a dispute regarding freightage and other matters there has been no export of cattle through the Port of Cork during the past four weeks, and, when it is stated that the normal weekly export numbered over two thousand animals, the seriousness of the matter for the South of Ireland can be appreciated.

The proceedings were private, but it is learned that certain proposals were submitted on behalf of the shipping companies, which, although going far to meet the demands of the cattle trade, the representatives of the latter body could not accept without first submitting to their Executive. This they promised to do.

The general feeling is that an amicable arrangement will be arrived at which will enable the port to be used as the natural medium of the export of cattle from the South of Ireland.

# OPERA SINGER'S SHOES IN "BOND."

## MISS SCOTNEY'S EXPERIENCE AT KINGSTOWN.

Miss Evelyn Scotney, the operatic soprano who is to sing at the Celebrity Concert in the Theatre Royal, Dublin, had an encounter—which has its amusing side, though annoying to her at the time—with the Customs examiners at Kingstown Pier.

A pair of shoes was the occasion of the trouble—not an ordinary pair of shoes, or the incident would have wanted colour. The pair in question had been obtained by Miss Scotney in London recently after some trouble. They were wanted for wear in a "period" setting of "Rigoletto," in which Miss Scotney is to appear as Gilda with the British National Opera Company at Liverpool next Thursday. Apparently she had decided to wear a special pattern of shoe with low heels; and to find low-heeled shoes of an old Italian pattern is not, one may guess, an easy thing even in London to-day.

Indeed, when Miss Scotney did find a place where they could be bought, she took care to get two pairs.

So two pairs belong to this incident. They were packed with all the other things that Miss Scotney will want for the Liverpool performance—grease-paints and various items of costume and make-up—and, as there were also in the same trunk some things that were wanted on her concert tour, the whole lot had to be brought over to Ireland.

When the baggage was opened for inspection on Kingstown Pier the shoes were soon espied, and Miss Scotney was informed that import duty must be paid on them.

That, of course, seemed ridiculous, seeing that the shoes were not going to be worn in the Free State, but would be taken out of the country a couple of days afterwards.

That, with full particulars, was explained to the Customs officers; but they could only point to Section whatever-it-is of the Finance Act, 1924, and prepare to make out a docket for the amount of the duty.

Declaring, however, that the imposition was ridiculous in the circumstances, Miss Scotney refused to pay duty.

The result of the incident is "bond," and whether they will be released in time to appear on the feet of the fair Gilda depends on the effect of regulations we shall not venture to interpret.

# NAVAL DISASTER AVERTED.

The *Daily News* Portsmouth Correspondent says:—A Naval disaster has just been averted by a discovery on the aircraft carrier. Eagle, which was about to leave for the Mediterranean. The Eagle had 2,000 bombs on board, and it was discovered that they were eruding crystal, and were in a highly dangerous condition. Sailing orders were cancelled, and the bombs were dumped ashore.

# FREE STATE'S ACCOUNTS.

## MINISTER'S REPLY TO CRITICISM.

## NEED OF REFORMS.

## SENATE'S UNANIMOUS REQUEST.

In the Free State Senate yesterday Mr. Ernest Blythe, Minister for Finance, replied to Sir John Keane's recent criticism of the system of public accountancy.

On January 23rd Sir John proposed:—"That, in the opinion of the Seanad, the time is now opportune for the appointment by the Government of a Committee of Experts to examine and report upon the question of introducing an improved system of public accountancy, as requested by unanimous resolution of this House on the 28th November, 1923."

He maintained that the system was so involved that no diligent student of public finance could tell what was happening, and that reforms were urgently needed.

Mr. Blythe was not present when Sir John Keane made his speech, and it was arranged that he should reply to it yesterday. He described it as "in the nature of a diatribe," and declared that Sir John could not understand the published accounts because he was determined not to understand them.

The Minister said that he was prepared to introduce changes in the system of accountancy, but the question was not of such urgency that other work should be thrown to one side in order to deal with it.

## MINISTER'S SPEECH.

### STATEMENTS DESCRIBED AS A DIATRIBE.

Mr. Blythe began his speech with an apology. He explained that he was absent from the House when the resolution was moved, because he had to receive a deputation. He said that Sir John Keane had dealt with matters that were not exactly covered by his motion, and had gone into general criticisms of the finance accounts. He was not in any great agreement with Sir John Keane's point of view. Unfortunately, Sir John had shown him a copy of a book that he had written, and, having read the book, he had to say that, in his opinion, Sir John had not taken a very good view of those matters. The book was merely a diatribe against the Treasury and Treasury officials. His statement in the Senate was more moderate, but in its tone it, also, was in the nature of a diatribe.

Sir John talked about the published accounts as being confusing and misleading. They had adopted the system of accountancy that had sufficed for the, on the whole, very well managed British system. He did not hold or believe that their published accounts were as full or as clear as they might be, and already they had introduced changes that would bring about an improvement in that respect. They could not be expected to publish accounts in such a form that they could be readily understood by people who would not give a little time to their study. Where were others, like Sir John Keane, who could not understand them because they were determined not to understand them.

### STRESS OF WORK.

Coming to the question of the appointment of a Committee of Experts, Mr. Blythe said that there was at present a great stress of work on the officials of his department, who had many new financial problems to deal with, and it was more important that they should be engaged on the existing day-to-day work than, at the very start, to have to devise some new system of public accountancy which would be a great improvement on that prevailing in Great Britain. He intended, as soon as it was possible, to set up a committee to see what improvements could be effected; but the matter was not one of urgency. The urgent thing for the moment was to use, as well as it could be used, the system in existence.

Sir John Keane had said that the delay in the presentation of the finance accounts was due to nothing but the laxity of the Finance Department officials. In Great Britain the finance accounts had to be presented to Parliament on June 30th, but in practice all that was laid on the table was the cover of the publication. The accounts themselves were not published for months later. He did not think it at all discreditable that his department were able to present their accounts at a time approximate to the same as in Great Britain. They had had under consideration for a considerable time the problem of commercial accounts for the Post Office department, and provision was being made for doing so.

Having dealt with some technical matters mentioned by Sir John Keane, the Minister went on to speak of the Army accounts, and said that it was doubtful whether the results would justify the setting up, for their small organisation, of an elaborate system of accounting such as that in the British Army. Last year their Army cost four millions, in the coming year the cost will be considerably less, and then they would not be at the end of the reductions under that head.

He was prepared to introduce changes in accountancy when they had had time to have all matters connected therewith satisfactorily examined, but that question was not of such urgency that they should throw other business aside in order to deal with it. When Sir John Keane made criticism of the Department of Finance and of its officials, and made innuendos, he should first take the trouble of making some study of the accounts which he criticised, and not take the risk of giving the impression that things were being done wrong; that they were going outside the principles laid down and acted upon. Whether he intended it or not, Sir John Keane had made an "unfair speech."

### SIR JOHN KEANE'S REPLY.

Sir John Keane, in reply, said that he was sorry if he had given the Minister grounds for introducing such a very personal aspect into the discussion. The pamphlet that he wrote, and which the Minister described as a tirade, was written before the Free State came into existence, and was an attack on the British methods of accountancy. The Minister might have given him credit for not being inspired by any special animus against the Free State or its Treasury officials. The Minister to-day had come to realise the necessity "for a change in their system of accountancy, and they had set up a Committee of Experts that was now dealing with the question.

Furthermore, a change was recommended by a Royal Commission, presided over by Mr. Herbert Samuels. It was unworthy of any Minister to accuse him of sinister motives of purpose; for that was what it amounted to when Mr. Blythe said that he was determined not to understand the accounts.

He accepted the Minister's statement that there were delays in the publication of the British accounts, but he thought that three months was an ample allowance for getting together the information. The Minister had not dealt with the more important specific points raised, such as the Land Commission annuities. He did not wish to suggest that those annuities were not paid, but the accounts did not show that they were paid. The Army was not the only department that should be included in the new inquiry. He dissociated himself entirely from any attack on the credit of the Ministry. Any fair-minded person could see that his words bore no such intention.

Colonel Moore spoke of what he described as the ill-tempered speech of the Minister, and said that a Minister should not have gone away from a debate of the kind to meet a deputation from the country.

Without further discussion the resolution was passed unanimously, and at 4.15 the House adjourned until March 5th.

# MR. ROBINSON'S APPEAL.

The sum of £150, which was fixed as security for costs in the appeal by Mr. Charles Ernest Robinson against the verdict and judgment in the famous "Mr. A." suit, was paid into Court yesterday.

# OLD MASTERS CUT FROM FRAMES.

## ART TREASURES WORTH £100,000 STOLEN.

*HOLLYWOOD, CALIFORNIA, Friday.*

The looting of art treasures valued at nearly £100,000 from his home has been reported to the police by Mr. Martin Weinschenck, President of the Weinschenck Company of Danzig. The robbery took place during Mr. Weinschenck's absence on holiday, and the objects taken consist of oil paintings and many precious antiques.

Among the paintings cut from their frames, or taken away frames and all, were "The Daughter of Philip II. of Spain," by Coello, valued at 135,000 dollars; "Vocal Lessons," by Metsu, valued at 125,000 dollars; "Boy Blowing Bubbles," by Murillo, valued at 80,000 dollars; a "Madonna and Child," by Correggio; a series of pictures by Teniers, and other works.

A number of Art treasures were left behind badly damaged by the vandals, and a marble Christ lay on the floor broken into bits, while one painting bore the mark of a shoe imprinted upon it. Fifty thousand dollars worth of antique silver locked up in a closet was untouched.

It is believed by some that the thieves were hired by a collector willing to go any lengths in order to obtain valuable works of art for his own collection. Another theory is that they belong to an international band of criminals, who intended to keep the loot until an insurance company is willing to pay a large reward, with "no questions asked."

The police are being assisted by five investigators instructed by London underwriters.—(Reuter.)

# SUGAR BEET GROWING.

## EXPERIMENTS IN FREE STATE.

In connection with the proposed establishment of beet sugar factories in the Sairstat, the Department of Agriculture, in order to secure definite information as to the yield and sugar content of beet when grown on a commercial scale, are arranging for the cultivation in every county of the Free State of experimental plots of sugar beet, and they have communicated with the various County Committees of Agriculture in order to secure their co-operation in this important matter.

The experimental plots will vary in extent from one to five statute acres. The Department will supply the requisite seed free of charge to selected plot holders, and will pay them, in addition, a cultivation allowance of £7 per statute acre in respect of crops grown in accordance with prescribed conditions. The grower will be required to cultivate an equal area of each of the four varieties to be supplied, and to keep an accurate account of the manual and horse labour involved in the various operations connected with the preparation of the lands, sowing, after-cultivation and lifting of the crops.

The crop, after the yield of the various varieties in the plot has been ascertained, will become the absolute property of the grower as soon as the agricultural instructor or an officer of the Department has given permission for the harvesting of the beet.

# MOTOR TAXATION.

## SUGGESTED MODIFICATION.

In the current issue of the *Motor News* Mr. Arthur H. Huet, managing director of the Dunlop Rubber Company (Ireland), Ltd., puts forward a suggestion for a modification of the present system of taxation of motor cars by horse-power rating, which, while not depriving the State of any of the revenue derived from this source, would have the effect of putting on the road the very large number of old cars which are at present lying aside by reason of the annual tax very closely approaching their present day value. When the horse-power tax was introduced cars manufactured over three years previously received a rebate; but, while justice would suggest that all three years old cars should get this concession, the date has never been advanced. Consequently an increasing number of cars go out of service each year, to the loss of the State in taxation.

Mr. Huet's suggestion is that the present horse-power tax should be reduced, so that cars of under 10 h.p. should pay £3 3s. per annum, under 25 h.p. £5 5s., and over 25 h.p. £7 7s. He estimates that such a concession would bring into use 3,500 cars that are not now paying any tax, and that, supplemented by a tax of 4d. per gallon on motor fuel, there would be no decrease in net revenue.

Mr. Huet's views closely follow the outline of proposals put before the Sub-Committee of the Roads Advisory Committee, which is now considering the question of taxation by the representatives of the Irish Motor Agents' Association.

# ORGANISATION AND ENTERPRISE.

## SENATOR'S ADVICE TO FARMERS.

Senator Sir John Keane, addressing a meeting of the County Waterford Farmers' Union at Dungarvan, said that a gentleman who occupied a very prominent position in the country said him some short time ago that they could not be in a bad position when the banks revealed such a successful and prosperous condition. He (Sir John) did not consider the banks a fair index of their basic industry—agriculture. Prices had increased by at least 40 per cent., and their pre-war expenses had been doubled, and they had had a very unfortunate season; so that the figures set down would not enable them to form an accurate opinion. They must now rely upon themselves. The realities of the situation had to be faced, and if as a nation they would not falter, they would emerge stronger and better in their determination to overcome disadvantages. They had read recently of gentlemen who were at one time very much in the public eye saying that the country's finances were in a deplorable condition. He held that their financial position was healthy. But it was their duty to impress upon the Government the necessity of reducing taxation, and let the money so saved be applied to reproductive work.

Many of their troubles were due to unhealthy competition between the co-operative societies. The Waterford dead meat project had been slow in taking shape, but they hoped in a month or so to publish the tenders for the erection of the machinery. The Government could do but little to help, but they could do a lot of harm by unwise action. Enterprise was also essential, for without it they could not hope to build up a country. They should also have organisation. They would not have enterprise unless they had security, and if people felt they were not going to reap the reward of their own energy they would not have enterprise. What they produced was handled by big corporations before it reached the consumer, and they would never be able to stand up against these combines unless organised up to the hilt. Sixty or seventy per cent. of their exports was agriculture, and it was abundantly necessary to have an organisation to guard these interests. Look at the burdens of the rates that they had in this country. In a district in England which he knew the rates were only 2s. in the £, and here they were paying 8s. 10d. and 12s. in the £. They should vote in the elections, and see that they got in their own men. Earnestness and perseverance in their work would bring success, and in the long run they would not be disappointed.

A vote of thanks was passed to Sir John Keane for his address, and he was re-elected chairman.

# MINE EXPLOSION.

## 35 MEN ENTOMBED IN AMERICA.

*SULLIVAN, INDIANA, Friday.*

A violent explosion occurred to-day in the City Coal Company mine here, and it is believed that 125 men have been entrapped. Two dead bodies have already been brought up, and three men seriously injured have been rescued.

All the rescue teams of the district have been rushed to the scene, and doctors and ambulances are waiting at the pithead.

The explosion is attributed to gas, and considerable damage has been done to the interior of the mine.

*Later.*

Thirty-five men are entombed in the City Coal Mine, and there is little chance of their being brought out alive.—(Reuter.)

# SIX PERSONS MURDERED.

## ACT OF MAD ATTENDANT.

*GUAYMAS, SONORA, MEXICO, Friday.*

In an attack of madness, apparently brought on by smoking some dangerous drug, Escrado Valle, a former member of the Marine Corps in the Mexican Army, who was employed at the local hospital, rushed to the kitchen of the hospital, seized a butcher's knife, and stabbed the cook and another attendant, killing both. He then ran to one of the wards of the hospital, where he killed four patients before he was felled by another employé. When the frenzy wore off, Valle confessed to have no knowledge of the affair. —(Reuter.)

# WIRELESS REGULATIONS.

## INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION SOUGHT.

Speaking at the annual dinner in London last night of the Chamber of Shipping, at which he and Mr. Rudyard Kipling were the principal guests, Sir Philip Cunliffe Lister, the President of the Board of Trade, announced his intention of introducing bills authorising agreements with foreign Governments for recognition of each other's wireless regulations, and giving statutory effect to some of the provisions of the recent Commercial Treaty with Germany.

Regarding the recent report to the Canadian Government concerning the North Atlantic Steamship Conference, he said that if such charges were made on responsible authority they called for investigation by the Imperial Shipping Committee, which, he was informed, North American lines would welcome.

# IRISH MOTORISTS' UNION.

A general meeting of the members of the Irish Motorists' Union will be held in Jury's Hotel, Dublin, at 6.30 o'clock, on March 3, when constructive statements will be made on road-making and the general question of transport. The Union is doing a work of national importance, and it is to be hoped that it will receive the support it deserves.

There are 3,400 odd licensed motor owners in the State, and the number of motor vehicles is approximately 95,000. A very small proportion belong to any organisation, and hence there is a wide field of activity for the Irish Motorists' Union. Its programme is constructive, and its great aim at the moment is to secure good roads and efficient transport service.

# SEIZED MOTOR CAR.

## CLONMEL FIRM'S APPEAL.

At the Clonmel Appeal Court, Messrs. Grubb and Sons appealed against a decision of the County Court Judge, awarding them £550 in a claim for £1,000 for the destruction of a lorry seized by Irregulars and burned at Clonmel Barracks and from a decree for £210 in a claim for £850 for a Darracq motor car, which had been seized by Irregulars.

Mr. Commissioner Pigot, K.C., allowed £700 for the lorry and £360 for the motor car.

# MAIL BY AIRSHIP.

*LAKEHURST, NEW JERSEY, Friday.*

The dirigible Los Angeles left here at 3.40 p.m. for Bermuda, carrying a consignment of United States mail. This is the first time that the mail has been carried by an airship to a point outside American territory.

# PRINCE'S "LEG-PULLS."

## CRICKET TERMS IN AN AMUSING SPEECH.

## MR. CHURCHILL'S "CUTS."

The Prince of Wales made an amusing speech last night at the annual Civil Service dinner in London, at which Mr Baldwin and several members of the Cabinet were present.

Acknowledging the loyal toast, the Prince said:—

"First wicket stands are all the fashion just now, but when I look down the order of going in—I mean the toast list—and when I see the great batsmen who are to follow me even now sitting in the pavilion with their pads on and their bats in their hands, then I feel it is not for one to try to be a Hobbs or a Sutcliffe. Though the wicket is quite an easy one, I shall not trouble you for more than a few overs.

"I shall not stand between you and the mighty drives of Mr. Baldwin and Mr. Chamberlain, or the late cuts of Mr. Churchill—though, perhaps, "cuts" is hardly a fair word to apply to the Chancellor of the Exchequer. The best that I could hope to do in such company is to bring off a few leg-pulls."

His Royal Highness then proceeded to pay a warm tribute to the loyalty and efficiency of civil servants, and, going on to refer to their recent acquisition of a central sports ground at Chiswick, spoke of the value of opportunities for recreation.

"There used to be," he said, "a foolish joke finally killed by the war record of the Civil Service, that civil servants were like the fountains in Trafalgar square, because they played from 10 to 4."

To his mind it was of real importance that civil servants should play, not necessarily from 10 till 4, but when other hard-worked people played.

### PREMIER'S QUIPS.

Proposing "The Civil Service," in a speech which evoked great merriment, the Premier said that his experience of the Civil Service was that its silence in public was only equalled by its garrulity in private, but when he considered the problems that the Government had to face he thought of the accumulation of learning and wisdom they had to rely on. It was for them not merely a question of understanding "all those damned dots," as a Chancellor of the Exchequer once said, because all his colleagues understood them and could work out their estimates to ten places of decimals and then turn up with a supplementary estimate.

Their real masters were those civil servants known as Class 1—who also called themselves permanent, as if to rub in the distinction between themselves and Ministers—the demure and obscure gentlemen in neat black coats and tall hats seen every morning flocking to Whitehall, at hours varying inversely to their dignity, serving all parties with equal loyalty, and some of them with equal contempt.

### A GILBERTIAN TOUCH.

Mr. Austen Chamberlain reviewed the various Ministerial offices, and thought that the Foreign Office was most comfortable; for it opened out a large and agreeable society which treated one with a respect one was little accustomed to find among those who knew one better. Everybody's business was the Prime Minister's business, and they all knew that everybody's business was nobody's business, by which it clearly appeared that the Premier was nobody.

# THE LAURENTIC.

## OFFICIAL FIGURES OF THE RECOVERED GOLD.

The value of gold lost in the Laurentic in 1917 was £4,996,317. The total recovered is £4,953,244. These figures are given in the report of the British Comptroller and Auditor-General on the Appropriation Accounts for the Civil Services. He reports that the salvage operations have now terminated.

# OUR SUPERIOR AGE.

## MAN'S HAPPINESS BORN OF DISCONTENT.

A motion that "The present day is morally, mentally, and æsthetically, an improvement on the Victorian age," was the subject of an Inter-University debate at the headquarters of the University of London Union Society, Malet street, London, W.C., last night. Delegates from the Universities of Oxford, Dublin, Manchester, Liverpool, Birmingham, Sheffield, Bristol, Nottingham, Reading and Exeter, took part in the discussion, and when the question was put to the vote the champions of modernity gained the victory by 106 to 70 votes.

The proposer of the motion, Mr. F. Porter Goff, of Dublin, said that the greatest argument in its favour was the widespread discontent which existed at the present day. Discontent was essential to the achievement of happier and better conditions of life, because it was produced by people thinking for themselves. In Ireland the general unrest showed that people were keenly interested in their country and its welfare, even if their interest was often manifested in the blowing up of bridges and the wrecking of buildings. It was far better for a nation to be composed of discontented men than for it to be composed of satisfied pigs.

Mr. Lloyd Jones, of Oxford, opposing the motion, said that the laughter of the present day was not to be compared with the mirth of the Victorian era, or even with that of mediæval times. We had now no Charles Dickens and no Chaucer, but only a faint echo from the middle ages in the person of Mr. G. K. Chesterton. Mr. Jones contrasted Mr. H. G. Wells, greatly to his disadvantage, with Ruskin and Carlyle, and declared that the representatives of an era which had produced jazz, Cubism, and the cinema, could not criticise the Victorian era on the ground of appreciation of art.

With regard to morals, he said that it was obvious that people were no longer certain, as were the Victorians, that marriage was an institution worthy of respect. To the Victorian, marriage was the poetry of life, just as property was its prose, and he made certain that the poetry was expressed in heroic couplets.

The great mathematical symbol of social life used to be the family circle, but it had now become the eternal triangle. It was not regarded as the duty of woman to attend University in Victorian days. That was another evidence of mental superiority. His own experience at Oxford had convinced him that Charles Kingsley was absolutely right when he wrote, "Be good, fair maid, and let who will be clever."

Mr. F. Walsh, Birmingham, defended jazz, and declared that the fox-trot was the most exquisite expression of rhythm which had been devised in any age.

Miss K. Byfield, of Exeter, remarked that although Dickens was one of the greatest figures of the Victorian age, he was looked upon merely as an entertainer, and it had remained for modern legislators to remedy the evils which he pictured.

# LATE NEWS.

## EQUAL FRANCHISE.

## THE FIRST EFFECT.

*The Times*, in a leading article on yesterday's debate in the House of Commons, says:—The first effect of an equal franchise for both sexes must clearly be to give women the definite electoral majority in Great Britain. Any bill conforming with the Government's pledge must make the women's aggregate vote considerably greater than the men's. According to the figures quoted by Sir William Joynson-Hicks, the present arrangement, according to which men vote at twenty-one and women at thirty, produces three million fewer females than male voters. Mr. Whiteley's bill, which would make the vote general at twenty-one, would add 5,106,000 women to the register, and give women voters a majority of just over two millions. This consequence does not, of course, spell disaster to the country. Women of twenty-one are probably more mature as a class than their brothers of the same age, and the introduction of the woman's active interest in politics so far from having had a disturbing effect, has tended to raise, and not to lower, the standard of public life.

The knowledge that women electors are actually in a majority may possibly induce candidates to devote an undue proportion of their attention to domestic questions, but all parties are equally solicitous in these days for social reform, and women will, in the long run—if, indeed, they are not already—be just as capable as men of realising that there is an intimate connection between the stability of employment, for instance, and foreign policy. Still, so sweeping an extension of the franchise and the complete transformation of the balance of men and women voters are matters that require a good deal more consideration than could possibly be given to them yesterday. The new franchise Bill, when it is produced by the Government, will clearly have to be of a very detailed and comprehensive character.

## MILITARY MISSION'S REPORT.

### MAY NOT BE PUBLISHED.

The Belgian Government has received a copy of the Inter-Allied Military Mission's report, relating to the non-execution by Germany of her disarmament obligations, and the document has been transmitted to the General Headquarters of the Army, where it is to be thoroughly examined, writes the Brussels Correspondent of *The Times*. The report will be made public only if all the Allied Governments consider that publication would be advisable.

I understand that there are divergencies of view on this point, and it is, therefore, probable that publication will not take place.

# CANADIAN BUTTER.

## VALUE OF BRITISH MARKET.

The Winnipeg Correspondent of the *Daily Mail*, telegraphing on Friday, says:—Mr. Wilson, the agent for Canadian agricultural products in London, is pointing out to dairymen the value of the British market. The difference in the prices of Canadian and New Zealand butter can, he states, be reduced 50 per cent. in two years, if Canadians follow the advantage possessed in their nearer situation. The quality and the flavour must be improved.

## CHARLIE CHAPLIN'S CLAIM.

Charlie Chaplin was the chief witness at Los Angeles, says the New York Correspondent of the *Daily Mail*, in his action to prevent Charles Amador, a kinema actor, from imitating him on the screen. After declaring that Amador's make-up is so similar to his own as to deceive the public, Mr. Chaplin claimed the copyright in his own costumes. "I got my walk," he said, "from an old London cab-driver. The comic foot glide I use was the inspiration of a moment, but part of the character was inspired by Fred Kitchen, an old fellow-trouper of mine in vaudeville. He had big feet, too."

"Where did you get that hat?" asked counsel for the defence.

"Oh, I don't know. I just conceived it," replied Mr. Chaplin.

Asked about his trousers, Mr. Chaplin declared—"Nobody ever wore the combination that I adopted until I put them on."

# THE PARLIAMENTARY LABOUR PARTY.

*The Times* says:—Lord Arnold has been selected by the Labour Peers to represent the Upper House on the Executive of the Parliamentary Labour Party. A meeting of the Party is to be held on Tuesday, when a decision will probably be come to as to the procedure to be adopted on the Political Levy Bill. There is a growing feeling that, as amendments for the rejection of the bill have been submitted by representatives of both the other parties, it may not be necessary to submit an official amendment from the Labour benches.

## NEW £1,000,000 MILL.

At the Mossend Iron and Steel Works, Lanarkshire, a gigantic steel mill, said to be the largest and fin

hands of the people themselves the free choice of the teachers.

"I would assert, the greatest possible disaster that could fall upon the people if there ever was any backsliding in the religious teaching of our youth. In order to provide sufficient opportunity to the managers to consider their position and be reassured as to any fears there may be entertain, there is no objection upon managers to transfer their schools until they are thoroughly satisfied. That is by no means generally known that if they do not transfer they still have to find for them from public funds the whole of the teachers' salaries, and a very substantial contribution towards the other expenses of education.

"I am certain that if our clergy were to know themselves wholeheartedly into the new education system, and back up the Government by every means in their power, they would be taking the more statesmanlike line, and considering that assistance to the province of Ulster that their long and honourable association with the educational needs of our country would lead us to expect."

He was hopeful that the Act, which is only now being put into operation, would be given a fair chance.

"It is my deliberate opinion," he said, "that a State founded upon secularism cannot succeed, and I think that all the lessons of history, ancient and modern, go to prove that where true religion is predominant in a country, that country, to use a Biblical expression, flourishes like a green bay tree." I am satisfied that the Education Act is a good Act. I am certain it will work with smooth ease and efficiency if the people, and especially the women, are represented on the various committees, with a large share of the responsibility of carrying it into full operation."

### NEW DRAINAGE BILL.

Referring to agriculture, he said that he was confident that the Acts passed by the local Parliament will prove in years to come to be of immense benefit to those dependent upon agriculture for a living.

"It has to be borne in mind that, whereas in former days an undue proportion of the rents paid in Northern Ireland found their way to England and other countries, wherever large landlords found it convenient to make their homes, when the new Land Purchase Bill is upon the Statute Book, all landlords will be extinguishing the former rents, with the effect that eventually the spending of the rent roll of Ulster will lie in the hands of tenant proprietors."

In urging the unbought tenants to take immediate advantage of the proposed new bill, thus placing all tenants upon an equal footing, he had in view the possibility, if financial permits, to contribute to the amelioration of agricultural rating equally all round.

With this second Land Purchase Bill, then the ever-threatening Bolshevistic conditions, the efforts of the Ministry should begin to take early favourable effect, and the farmers should be on a fair road to best Dominion and other countries, to the security that prosperity which their proximity to the British markets entitles them to.

He (Sir James added that they would shortly deal with the large subject of roads and bridges, and hoped to be in a position to produce a scheme acceptable to the people.

## OBITUARY.

### PROFESSOR ALFRED J. SMITH.

We regret to announce the death of Professor Alfred J. Smith, which took place after a very short illness at his residence at Monkstown, Co. Dublin, yesterday.

Professor Smith was the son of the late Philip Smith, of Kevit Castle, Crossdoney, Co. Cavan, and was brother of the late Judge Lawrence Smith, Q.C., J.P., C. Smith, former Crown Solicitor for Cavan, and of Frederick P. Smith, J.P., D.L., Kevit Castle, Co. Cavan. Educated at St. Patrick's College, Cavan, and at the Royal University in Dublin, where he graduated, he later pursued his professional studies at Leipsic, Berlin, and Vienna.

Professor Smith's degrees and qualifications included M.B., M.Ch., M.A.O. (R.U.I.), and F.R.C.S.I. He was late Vice-President of the British Gynæcological Society; late President of the Obstetric Section, Royal Academy of Medicine; ex-Assistant Master of the Rotunda Hospital, of which institution he was consulting physician and surgeon; ex-Professor of Midwifery and Gynæcology at the National University of Ireland, and Gynæcologist to St. Vincent's Hospital, Dublin. He was the large contributor to various medical journals on subjects that interested gynæcologists.

Professor Smith was a great follower of sport in all its branches. He was well-known at Lansdowne road, where he frequently attended Rugby matches. A keen golfer, he was a member of Portmarnock, Dollymount, and Millstown clubs, where he was a popular figure. He was also a member of the Leopardstown and Phœnix Park Race Clubs. His death, as a comparatively early age, will be regretted by his many friends.

The remains will be taken this evening to the chapel, St. Vincent's Hospital, whence, after Mass to-morrow at 10 o'clock, they will be removed by motor car for interment at Ballipagh, County Cavan.

### MAJOR-GENERAL E. H. SARTORIUS, V.C.

Major-General Euston Henry Sartorius, V.C., C.B., died after a short illness last night in London. The third son of the late Admiral Sir G. R. Sartorius, G.C.B., he was born at Cintra, Portugal, in 1844. He was educated at the Royal Naval School, Twickenham, at Woolwich, and at the Military College, Sandhurst. In 1862 he joined the 59th Regiment, and afterwards he passed through the Staff College. He gained the Victoria Cross in the Afghan War, was mentioned in dispatches, was decorated by the Indian Government for work on the Survey, and was promoted Brevet-Major. He was decorated for leading the assault on a hill held by Boers at Laing's Nek. In the Egyptian campaign of 1882 he was Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General, obtained the Brevet rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, and was mentioned in despatches.

General Sartorius was attached to the staff at the Crown Prince of Siam at the celebration of Queen Victoria's Jubilee and at the Coronation of King Edward VII. He was attached to the suite of Prince Chakrabongse of Siam at the Coronation of the present King.

### THE VERY REV. JOHN H. JACKMAN, O.F.M.

The death took place at the Friary, Lady lane, Waterford, yesterday, of the Very Rev. John H. Jackman, O.F.M., who for many years was attached to the local convent of the Order, and was an ex-Provincial.

## SUN BATHERS.

### AMERICA SECURES INJUNCTION.

References to "social sun bathing" and a procession to Hyde Park were made in the Chancery Division, London, yesterday, when Mr. Justice Tomlin granted an injunction till trial, on behalf of Mr. G. M. Prince Hopkins, an American citizen, to restrain Mr. H. H. Vivian from issuing any documents representing that Mr. Hopkins was a member, or president, or connected with the Sun-Ray Club, or any document relating to the Sun-Ray Club bearing Mr. Hopkins' name.

The Judge, granting the injunction, said the words "I accept the presidency were typed in the document of membership after it had left the plaintiff's hands. He proposed to say nothing of defendant's movements. The best said about it the better. He granted the injunction to prevent further use of plaintiff's name, costs to be costs in the action.

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## PRINCE OF WALES'S TOUR.

### SOCIALISTS REPROVED BY LABOUR LEADERS.

### CONSERVATIVE AND LIBERAL POLICY.

Referring to the Socialist opposition to the payment of the expenses of the Prince of Wales's forthcoming tour, Mr. Ramsay Macdonald, at Swindon last night, said that if they officially sent a representative to the Jubilee or to foreign countries, whether he was Mr. John Smith or the Prince of Wales they should pay his expenses. It was not consistent with the self-respect of their party in the House, or outside, to say: "You go and pay the money out of your own pocket." (Cheers.) They were not going to help the cause of the poor widow and her children by being mean, small-minded, and petty. There was something good in what was called the true spirit of gentlemanliness, which they were not going to neglect. They would never do big things in a small-minded or pettifogging way. He detested "stunts." The magpie nature, which saw in the glitter of a button the whole of its world, was not befitting the Labour Party.

Mr. Clynes, speaking at Hornchurch last night, condemned the recent Clydeside attack on the Prince of Wales's tour. It was not, he said, a pleasure trip for the Prince, but an act of public duty, and it was as right for Parliament to vote public money for it as to vote money for their railway expenses between Westminster and the constituencies they had to visit. The Prince was no more to blame for evil conditions on the Clyde, or elsewhere, than was any of them.

### LIBERAL POLICY.

### THE EARL OF OXFORD ON PROTECTION.

The Earl of Oxford and Asquith, at the Manchester Reform Club last night, said that, from a purely Parliamentary point of view, Liberalism was suffering a periodical, but transitory eclipse. It was a caricature of representation that a party which polled three million votes should have only some forty members. Had they been able to cover the whole field, they would have polled at least another million votes. That must come again. The organised spread, by Liberals, of political education was of the greatest importance in these days of pinchbeck Protection and black-label Imperialism.

The safeguarding of industries proposal was a dimly adumbrated policy of small, trumpery and pettifogging Protection. Once adopted and practised, it would lead to an organised system of log-rolling, Lobbying, and intriguing on the part of special interests. Piecemeal Preference would bring in its train evils almost more injurious than a uniform general tariff. The only way in which recovery in industry could be made up was by common effort, and, if necessary, common sacrifice, in its associated activities.

### SIR JOHN SIMON'S ADVICE.

Sir John Simon, speaking at Ramsgate last night, said that it was no use complaining of Governments when they were in power. They must be more active beforehand, if they wanted Government more to their liking. They had seen how large majorities could be displaced by strenuous and persistent work. If they wanted a Liberal policy they must work Liberal principles. No real revival was possible without the conviction that such revival was necessary in the interests of the country.

## LORD BIRKENHEAD'S APPEAL.

### MENACE OF UNEMPLOYMENT.

Addressing Walsall business men yesterday, Lord Birkenhead said that it was a marvellous performance that England, by its resolute courage in meeting the cost of the war out of current income, should have maintained its financial position and falsified the prediction that Wall street would become the financial centre of the civilised world. Chronic unemployment was the most menacing problem facing the country to-day, and there was a prospect of growing competition from Germany, Russia, and Italy, hereafter. In the national and municipal debts. He appealed to the leaders of all parties, recognising that the present situation was ruinous to the nation, to meet together to discuss it on non-party lines.

### LABOUR IN POWER.

Lord Birkenhead, Secretary of State for India, speaking as guest of the Birmingham Chamber of Commerce yesterday evening, said that in the Egyptian problem Mr. Austen Chamberlain had not materially departed from the policy which, in circumstances of greater party difficulty, Mr. Balfour had adopted to his predecessor, Mr. Ramsay Macdonald. The after-armistice difficulties and anxieties could not be settled on partisan, much less party, lines, but only on general good-will to stand for England. Some day organised Labour must be their successors in government. They could only retain power by making themselves the mouthpiece of the whole nation. He believed that Labour would not fail in the discharge of that responsibility.

## LONDON THEATRES.

### MR. JOHN BARRYMORE'S "HAMLET."

From Our Own Correspondent.

*LONDON, Friday.*

The character of Hamlet is, undoubtedly, the most exacting of all Shakespearean *rôles*, and one that almost every actor essays to portray. To some, Hamlet appears as a mere visionary; to others, a madman, with whom the idea of revenge dominates; to others, a blend of both.

Mr. John Barrymore brought to the character of Hamlet an intensity, sincerity and a startling note of intellectual clarity, which the naturalness of his diction, his expressive gestures, and his general sensitive bearing materially augmented.

No revival of "Hamlet" I have seen has left so little doubt as to the main story of the play. Mr. Barrymore's personal qualities are essentially "Hamlet-like." He gets right into the part and makes it live, without marring the beauty of the many moving soliloquies with mannerisms and affected intonations.

Those who saw Irving may, perhaps, complain that Mr. Barrymore's speech is sometimes too slow, and that the character in his hands becomes a little bloodless, but there is no doubt that his Hamlet is the best that the London public has seen for many a long day.

The crowded night audience at the Haymarket Theatre were every bit as enthusiastic as the distinguished gathering on the first night, and applauded insistently until Mr. Barrymore had to make a speech.

Miss Fay Compton gave an exquisitely pathetic picture of Ophelia, a character too often insipidly portrayed. Mr. Malcolm Keen as the King, Miss Constance Collier as the Queen, Mr. George Relph as Horatio, Mr. Herbert Waring as Polonius, Mr. Frederick Cooper as Osric, and Mr. Harcourt Williams as the Player King, are a few of the characters whose work was of exceptional merit.

It is to be hoped sincerely that Mr. Barrymore will prolong his season beyond the month at present arranged. This revival is outstanding by reason of the simplicity and dignity of the general production.

## TIRED OF WAR.

### MR. KIPLING'S VISION OF THE FUTURE.

Proposing the toast of "The Shipping Industry," at the annual dinner of the Chamber of Shipping in London last night, Mr. Rudyard Kipling, one of the principal guests, said that in some way that island of theirs was a ship, as much as was H.M.S. Ascension, with the additional disadvantage of being moored between two Continents, so that they could enjoy the weather, political and otherwise, from both. Furthermore, "H.M.S. Great Britain" carried the passenger list, including stowaways of forty-five millions, and, owing to the peculiarities of her construction, there was never more than six weeks' supplies of consumable stores aboard her at one time. The balance must come by ship, and if the shipping did not get it fortnight would deliver them to panic indescribable, and three months would see them embarked on "the gallant adventure of cannibalism."

"If you tie up a nation's transport you can take her off your books," said Mr. Kipling. We have suffered from one scientific attempt to prove this, which very nearly succeeded.

For the moment, however, he continued, there was a lull in the wars fought with visible weapons. They were deep now in the economic war that aimed to break the spirit and will of man in his home and at his work. A sound man, whose morale could be gassed and gangrened in time of peace, he continued, had helped to create every form of confusion that would ruin himself and his neighbour, was doing his country infinitely more harm than a thousand casualties on the battlefield. It was cheaper to induce the enemy to cut his own throat for what they had persuaded him were lofty motives than to do it for him against his will. This was the essence of the new model war—to create ill-will, which was the mother of despair, and through that ill-will to exploit the damnable streak in each of them that led them to stop their own work and talk about the duties of others.

Their recovery had been held back by the propaganda of ill-will and despair that was directed against all effort at its source. But did they think that the engines of "H.M.S. Great Britain" could be adapted to burn this kind of fuel? He did not. At heart they were all gamblers born, and the odds in favour of self-chosen discomfited lives were more and more worth taking. For men had grown a trifle tired of being told off to hate their neighbours by numbers at the word of command. This reaction might or might not mark a turn of the tide, but, at least, it gave a time of breathing-space during which "H.M.S. Great Britain" might begin to get under way again and work up to the highest pressure.

For a comparison, he went on, it was only yesterday that when a ship was once under the horizon she passed beyond help or call for perhaps half a year. To-day a tramp could not report a cockroach leg in a slide-rule, and

# OLD IRISH MONASTERIES.

## THE STORY OF THE RUINS.

BY JAMES J. PHILLIPS, C.E.

(SPECIALLY CONTRIBUTED.)

About five and a half centuries after St. Benedict had founded his new monastery, under his ascetic rules, on Monte Cassino, certain monks of an abbey in Burgundy became discontented under the "relaxed discipline" of the Benedictines, and established in the year 1098 the Abbey of Cistercium, or *Citeaux*. Thus arose the great Cistercian Order, taking its name from the place of its first foundation, and sometimes named "Bernardines," from the saintly Monk Bernard, who became head of the Order.

Their rules were more severe than those of the Benedictines. These puritan monks proved the sincerity of their professions by the sanctity of their lives, and by the reality of their self-denial. Their asceticism may be judged by study of the stringent rules of their *Charta Caritatis*. They tolerated no images or pictures, even of saints; nor, indeed, the representation of the human form on their walls or in their windows; nor even the Crucifix itself, "permitting only a painted wooden cross." Their opposition to all sensuousness may be judged by their prohibition of polychrome and richness of ornamentation of every description, gilding, etc., and by the Ordinances as to vestments and utensils of the Church.

Cardinal Vitri, in the thirteenth century, writes of them: "They used neither furs nor linen; they abstained from eggs, butter, milk, or cheese, unless upon extraordinary occasions, when given to them in alms. They had belonging to them certain religious lay brethren," whose office it was to cultivate their lands. The monks who attended the choir slept in their habits upon straw; they rose at midnight, and spent the rest of the night in singing the Divine Office."

BEAUTIFUL RUINS.

The Cistercian Order continued to prosper until the end of the thirteenth century, when the same laxity which had corrupted other Orders began also to affect the Cistercians. A departure is apparent in the style of their buildings and in their mode of life. A considerable number of those early Cistercian churches remain at the present day. Most of those that have survived are the early buildings of the twelfth and thirteenth centuries, and belong to the period when the whole Rules in their original severity were in daily and nightly practice by these monks.

Bearing in mind the high spiritual aims of St. Bernard's Rules, and of their influence upon the architecture and sculpture of the abbeys, we are naturally interested to see vestiges of those buildings, before the asceticism of these Bernardines had waned, and we can gratify this desire by a visit to Fountains Abbey, or Jervaulx, Kirkstall, Furness, Tintern, or certain other abbeys in England, and to most of the Irish Cistercian abbeys, such as Mellifont, Dunbrody, Boyle, Bective, and Greyabbey and Inch (Iniscuscraidh), in the County Down.

Even in their ruin those vestiges evoke our admiration and interest by their chaste simplicity, no matter whether we view them as architects or archæologists, artists or field-naturalists, or even aimless casual visitors.

The ruins of the religious houses of the Cistercians show that they were designed by talented architects, who had very common-sense methods of sanitary construction, and ideas of community life very suitable to the age in which they lived. It interests us to know that the Cistercians were the greatest farmers and graziers and market gardeners of the age; and there is evidence enough to show that, even in Ireland, they were their own abbey builders, having chaste æsthetic tastes, and carried to perfection that most pure of the Gothic styles of architecture known as "Early English." This was effected long before the "Comacine Magisteri," or other building guilds, or the travelling "lay mason" finally took out of the hands of the monk craftsmen the erection of their ecclesiastical homes.

LOVERS OF THE VALLEY.

According to their "Institutes" they selected "desert places" and obscure valleys for their abbeys, the waste and morass, which none other cared to cultivate. How different from the sites selected by the Benedictines, and the preaching Friars is expressed in that quaint Latin aphorism—*Oppida Francicus—magnas Ignatius urbes—Bernardus valles—montes Benedictus amabat*. And this is illustrated in a very graphic manner at Downpatrick, in which we see De Courci's lordly Benedictine Monastery built on a conspicuous hill (a historic Rath), while we find the lowly Cistercian neighbour, Inch Abbey, erected in the low-lying meadows and valley just at the other side of the River Quoile. It necessitated that in the planning of their abbey homes they should adopt a very complete system of draining and sanitation, and that they should devote a very intelligent labour to the cultivation of inferior ground. It naturally followed that wherever they settled, as at Greyabbey, or Inch, or Holycross, or Bective, or elsewhere, their industry converted the desert into a farm, and the most dismal swamps into fruitful fields and pasturages.

The very names which the Cistercian monks gave to their abbeys even in "Ultima Irlanda," were expressive of the aims which moved them to build in the neighbourhood of the running streams, in the waste places of the earth, which soon by their industry became with verdure clad. This abbey at Inch, near Down, was called "De Insula"; in Kildare, at Monasterevan, it was "the Fertile Valley"; Baltinglass was the "Valley of Safety"; at Kilkenny it became "De Valle Dei" (the Valley of God). Bective was "the Valley of Happiness"; in Clare, "the Fertile Rock"; Mellifont was a "Fount of Sweetness"; Maur Abbey was "De Fonte Vivo"; while Derry was "De Claro Fonte."

Still more often do we find the names indicative of the spirit of loving devotion and gratitude to the Giver of all Good, which inspired them. Thus at Greyabbey its dedication title was "De Jugo Dei" ("the Yoke of God"); in Abbeyleix it became "In God's Service"; in Fermoy, "The Camp of God"; and at Tintern, "The Holy Vow." In Kerry the dedication title was "Kyrie Eleison" ("the Lord have mercy on us").

CISTERCIAN HYMNS.

Could we have visited these abbeys seven centuries ago, when the buildings were in their prime, fresh from the chisel of the monk-mason, and before the Cistercian Order had "degenerated and relaxed" from the high spiritual aims of St. Bernard of Clairvaulx, we would certainly hear a splendidly trained choir of godly monks chanting and singing canticles in monk-Latin. The music would seem peculiar. It was slow and solemn, no harmonised parts were introduced, all voices sang in unison; and if we could translate the words of the hymns which echoed through the roof-timbers of those early Cistercian churches, we would find that many of them were just the same hymns which we find in the modern hymnals of all Christian denominations. They were the hymns composed by St. Bernard of Clairvaulx, viz.:—

"Jesus, the very thought of Thee
With sweetness fills my breast,
But sweeter far Thy face to see,
And in Thy presence rest."
&c.
(See Old Hymnal—Hymn 315.)

Or/ "Jesus, Thou joy of loving hearts,"
&c.
(Old Hymnal—Hymn 262)

Or/ "O Jesus—King most wonderful,"
&c.
(Old Hymnal—Hymn 353)

Or/ "O! Sacred Head, once wounded,"
(Old Hymnal—Hymn 176).

We find our interest, therefore, focussed by those Bernardine hymns of the period ere the spiritual purity of the Cistercian monks had waned. Those fine ancient hymns, and the vestiges of the abbeys in which they were sung are souvenirs, even in Ireland, of an epoch of spiritual awakening from the Dark Ages. It was a *renaissance* of spirituality. It may be suggested that this revival of asceticism in the XII. and XIII. centuries had some relation with the rise during the same era of those early Gothic styles known as the "Transitional" (from the Romanesque) and the "Lancet," or "Early English" style, the buildings of which are so well adapted by their completeness, as well as by their austere simplicity, to be the Abbey Homes of Saintly Monks.

[A picture of Grey Abbey appears on this page.]

## ANCHOR DONALDSON LINE.

Owing to pressure of work, Sir Alfred Booth, Bart., has retired from the directorate of the Anchor Donaldson Line. The vacancy thus has been filled by appointment as a director of Mr. William Henderson, now joint general manager.

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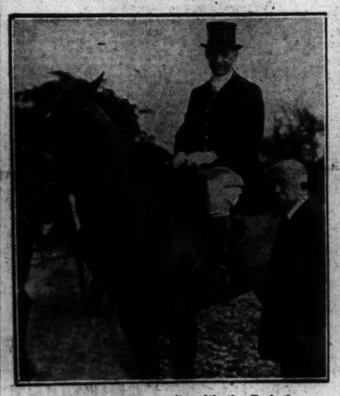
Some Irish Coursing enthusiasts watching the Waterloo Cup.

Pentonville, the winner of the Waterloo Cup.

Mr. G. Pilkington, the owner of Pentonville.

The Meet of the Meath Hounds at Killeen Castle yesterday.

A Luncheon Party at Altcar.



Mr. Ussher (mounted), with the Earl of Fingall, at the Meet of the Meath Hounds.

THE TWO CAPTAINS.—M. Spencer (Mountjoy) and P. Crowe (U.S.A.).

Mr. J. Bell-Irving's Lawman, who was beaten in the final for the Waterloo Cup.

Dublin Architects at Dinner.

In the photograph are—Mr. Brady, Mr. Hayes, Mr. Robert Atkinson, Mr. St. G. Orpen, Mr. R. C. Orpen, Mr. L. O'Callaghan, Mr. Orpen, Mr. G. L. O'Connor, Mr. Ada Conlon, Mr. James, Senator Mares, Mr. M. Allwright, Mr. P. J. Meredith, Mr. P. Hayes, Mr. Ignatius Rice, Mr. Grayce Clayton, Mr. T. Coleman, Mr. J. Webb, Mr. S. M. Ashlin, Mr. Arthur O'Connor, Mr. John J. Robinson, Mr. O'Loughlin, Mr. R. M. Butler, Mr. Howard Cooke, Mr. T. C. Martin and Mr. H. Martin.

A Cross-word Puzzle Dress.

GREY ABBEY, COUNTY DOWN.—A fine specimen of Irish Cistercian Architecture.

A Decorated Car at the Nice Carnival.

U.S.A. v. Mountjoy, in the Junior Schools' Cup Match.

# BROADCASTING.

## TO-DAY.

The letters "S.B." signify a simultaneous broadcast from the station mentioned.

**LONDON (2LO)—365 Metres.**

4.0-5.0—Time (Greenwich). Concert: The "2LO" Octet, Stuart Macleod (tenor), Dora Maybrick (entertainer). 5.30-6.15—Children. 7.0—Time (Big Ben). Weather and News. 8.3—To all Stations. Local News. 7.20—Band of H.M. Scots Guards, Edith Athey (soprano), Frank Phillips (bass baritone), Peter Yorke (syncopation pianist), Jay Kaye (entertainer). 9.30—Time (Greenwich), Weather and News. S.B. to all Stations. Local News. 10.45—Band. 12.30—Savoy Orpheans, Savoy Havana Band and Selma Four, relayed from the Savoy Hotel, London; S.B. to all Stations. 12.0—Close.

**CHELMSFORD (5XX) — 1,600 Metres (High-Power Station).**

5.30-6.15—Children. 6.40-7.50—From London. 7.50-8.30—From Birmingham. 9.30-12.0—From London.

**BIRMINGHAM (5IT)—475 Metres.**

5.30-6.30—Children. 5.0-5.30—Women. Agnes Sanders (contralto). 5.30-6.45—Children. 7.0—Weather and News. Rugby Football. Local News. 7.30—Percy Edgar, John Henry, William Macready, R. W. Parker, Joseph Welch, "5IT" Male Voice Quartet, Station Orchestra. S.B. to "5XX." 9.30—Weather and News. Local News and Football Review. 10.0—Savoy Bands. 12.0—Close.

**BOURNEMOUTH (2BM)—385 Metres.**

3.55-5.0—Women. Ronald Gourley (entertainer), Winifred Fairlie (entertainer), Jerome Murphy (entertainer), Raymond Newell (baritone). 5.0-6.30—Children. 7.0—Weather and News. Local News. 7.30-12.0—From London.

**MANCHESTER (2ZY)—375 Metres.**

4.30-4.50—Lecture on "Gounod," with gramophone. 4.30-5.0—Women. Janey Dugdale (recitations). 5.0-6.0—Children. 7.0—Weather and News. Mr. F. Stacey Limit: Weekly Talk on Sport. Local News. 7.30—"Cinderella," a fairy burlesque extravaganza. 9.30—Weather and News. Local News. 10.15—Savoy Bands. 12.0—Close.

**NEWCASTLE (2NO)—400 Metres.**

2.45-4.15—Miss Downing (soprano), Station Septet. 5.15-6.30—Children. 6.30-7.0—Poultry Notes. 7.0—Weather and News. John Kemmir: "Football." Local News. 7.30—Beatrice Eveline (solo 'cello), Arthur W. Hayes (dramatic recital), Hudson Barnsley (baritone), Station Orchestra. 9.30—Weather and News. Local News. 10.0—Dance Orchestra. 11.0—Savoy Bands. 12.0—Close.

**ABERDEEN (2BD)—495 Metres.**

3.30-4.0—Wireless Sextet, John Cooper (baritone). 5.30-6.0—Children. 7.0—Weather and News. Sir Theodore Cook. S.B. from London. Local News. 7.30—Gertrude Johnson (soprano), Winifred Small (violin), Maurice Cole (pianoforte), Jupiter Mars (entertainer), "2BD" Repertory Players. 7.55—Violin and Piano Recital. 8.35—"The Ours." 9.30-12.0—From London.

**GLASGOW (2SC)—420 Metres.**

3.30-4.30—Wireless Quartet, John Beveridge (blind entertainer). 5.15-6.0—Children. 6.0-6.5—Weather for Farmers. 6.40-6.55—Glasgow Radio Society Talk. 7.0—Weather and News. Local News. 7.30—Station Orchestra, Daniel Seymour. 8.0-8.0—Glasgow Select Choir. 9.30-12.0—From London.

**LIVERPOOL (6LV)—315 Metres.**

5.0-6.0—Organ Recital. 6.30-6.30—Children. 7.0-12.0—From London.

**BELFAST (2BE)—435 Metres.**

4.0-5.0—The "2BE" Trio, E. J. Harris (solo clarinet). 5.30-6.15—Children. 7.0—Weather and News, from London; Mr. R. H. Coulter: Talk on "Hockey." Local News. 7.50—Crescent Male Voice Choir, Ernest A. A. Stoneley (solo violin), Pauline Barker (solo harp), John A. Burnside (raconteur), Station Orchestra, Orchestra: March, "Entry of the Boyards" (Halvorsen); Overture, "Mirella" (Gounod); Selection, "Looking Backward" (Finck); Choir: "Soldier, Rest" (Thomson); To Arms" (J. M. Maunder); "Ye Banks and Braes," "Drink to Me Only" (Traditional), John A. Burnside: Some Anecdotes. Orchestra: "In a Persian Market" (Ketelbey), Choir: "The Wanderer's Song" (Franz Abt); "Let the Hills Resound" (Richards); "D'ye Ken John Peel" (arr. West), Ernest A. A. Stoneley: "Scottish Fantasia" (Stoneley) John A. Burnside: Some Anecdotes, Pauline Barker: "Spinning Wheel" (Thomas). Orchestra: "Military Two-step" (Gould-Verschoyle). 9.30-12.0—From London.

## SUNDAY.

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**LONDON (2LO)—365 Metres.**

3.0-5.0—"The Creation" (Haydn). S.B. to other stations. Gabriel, Stiles Allen; Uriel, Spencer Thomas; Raphael, Robert Radford. Wireless Orchestra and Chorus. 5.0-5.30—Children. 8.15—Salvation Army Service. 9.0—Casano's Octet, Eda Bennie (soprano). Westminster Singers. 10.0—Time (Greenwich), Weather and News. S.B. to all Stations. Local News. 10.15—The Octet. 10.45—Close.

**CHELMSFORD (5XX) — 1,600 Metres (High-Power Station).**

3.0-5.0—From London. 5.0-5.30—Children. 8.15-10.45—From London.

**BIRMINGHAM (5IT)—475 Metres.**

3.0-5.0 — Station Pianoforte Quintet—Frank Cantell (1st violin), Elsie Stell (2nd violin), Arthur Kennedy (viola), Leonard Dennis (violoncello), Nigel Dallaway (pianoforte). 5.0-5.30—Children. 5.0-6.45—Religious Service, conducted by Bishop Hamilton Baynes. Relayed from the Cathedral. 6.45—Frank Cantell (violin), Harry Freeman (violin), Nigel Dallaway (pianoforte). 10.0—Weather and News. Local News. 10.15—Orchestra. 10.30—Close.

**BOURNEMOUTH (2BM)—385 Metres.**

3.0-4.30—Band of 2nd Batt. the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders. Winifred Thomas (mezzo-contralto), relayed from South Parade Pier, Southsea. 4.30-5.45—Juliette Pelville (pianoforte recital). 5.0-5.30—Children. 8.50—Organ Recital. 9.30-10.45—From London.

**MANCHESTER (2ZY)—375 Metres.**

3.0-5.0—From London. 5.0-5.30—Children. 8.0—Talk to young people. 8.25—Church Service. 8.45—Adamson Military Band, Roy Henderson (baritone). 10.0—Weather and News. Local News. 10.15—Band. 10.30—Close.

**NEWCASTLE (2NO)—400 Metres.**

3.0—Mary Jarred (contralto), Crosse's Military Band. 5.0-6.30—Children. 8.30—Newcastle Cathedral Quartet. Ernest Sharp's String Quartet. 10.0—Weather and News. Local News. 10.15—Cathedral Quintet. 10.35—Close.

**GLASGOW (2SC)—420 Metres.**

3.0-5.0—From London. 5.0-6.30—Children. From Manchester. 8.30—Church Service. 9.0-9.30—Song Recital by Gertrude Johnson (coloratura soprano). 9.30-10.45—From London.

**LIVERPOOL (6LV)—315 Metres.**

3.0-5.30—From London. 8.15-9.0—Church Service. 9.0-10.45—From London.

**BELFAST (2BE)—435 Metres.**

3.0-5.0—From London. 5.0-6.30—Children. From Manchester. 8.45—"2BE" Trio—"Meditation" (Howard Bliss). 9.0—Station Choir—Hymn, "Rock of Ages." Brigadier Margaret Fitzgerald, Salvation Army: Address. Hymn, "Onward, Christian Soldiers." 9.30—Trio—Trio in D Minor (Reissiger). 10.0—Weather and News. From London. Local News. 10.15—Trio—Trio No. 26 (Haydn). 10.30—Close.

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A COPY OF THIS PROSPECTUS HAS BEEN FILED WITH THE REGISTRAR OF JOINT STOCK COMPANIES.

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## LONDON MINING MARKET FIRM.

### CAPE SELLING CEASES.

The closing day of the week in the Stock Exchange was probably the most cheerful of the period. Business was still on a modest scale, and a good deal of it was in the nature of evening-up transactions over the week-end; but, with the settlement out of the way, professionals were inclined to take a more hopeful view of the outlook, and this was reflected in the more speculative departments. Among the Mines Kaffirs were decidedly harder. In the first place, the selling from the Cape had ceased, while the more reasonable views taken of the wages question on the Rand helped to restore confidence. There was no great increase in the demand generally, but certain specialities were being picked up, and this gave a fillip all round. The fact that the Platinum shares came again into favour helped the recovery. "T.C.L." were largely bought on home and Cape accounts, and Transvaal Deep" and S.A. Townships were also prominent. Central Mining and "Johnnies" exceptionally were dull, and the Copper and Tanganyika Estates, but practically all the other moments were in favour of holders. In the Rhodesian department Selukwe stood out prominently. The buying of these shares was on a steadily expanding scale, and, although no fresh news was forthcoming, the idea prevailed that the developments on the B.C. Silver Property recently recorded are of great importance. Chartered were being bought in anticipation of the meeting, and Gaika gave a fillip all round.

### SOUTH AFRICAN.

| | M.U. | |
|---|---|---|
| Feb. | 16. | |
| 1/3 | Anglo-Amer. Corp. | 1½-1⅝ |
| 17/3 | Anglo-French ..... | 17/6-17/9 |
| 3/9 | Bantam ..... | 3⅜-3½ |
| 13/6 | Cons. Min'g & Z. ..... | 13½-13⅝ |
| 11/3 | Central W'nd (R) ..... | 11/3-11/6 |
| 2/3 | City Deep ..... | 2⅜-2½ |
| 1/- | Con. Goldfields ..... | 1/-1⅛ |
| 14/6 | Cons. Main Reef ..... | 14/6-15/0 |
| 16/0 | Cons. Selns. 10/- ..... | 15/6-16/0+0/3 |
| 2/- | Crown Mines (10/) | 2/6-2/6+0/6 |
| 21/6 | Durban Deep ..... | 21/3-21/9 |
| 107/- | E. Rand Prop. ..... | 107/-108/- |
| 15/0 | Gen. Mining ..... | 14/9-15/3 |
| 17/0 | G. M. Trustees ..... | 11/9-12/3 |
| 31/3 | Geduld ..... | 31⅛-31⅜ |
| 15/0 | Gov. Areas ..... | 14/9-15/3 |
| 17/6 | Government Mine ..... | 17/3-17/6 |
| 12/6 | H. E. Prop. ..... | 12/6-13/0 |
| 4/6 | Johan'burg Cons. | 39/9-40/3-0/3 |
| 4/6 | Johan'burg Pref. | 4/6-5/0 |
| 15/6 | Knight's ..... | 14/7-14/6 |
| 27/0 | Langlaagte Est. ..... | 26/3-26/6-0/6 |
| 4/- | Meyer & Charlton ..... | 3/9-4/0 |
| 4/6 | Modderfontein (10/) | 4-4½ |
| 1/3 | Modder B (5/) ..... | 1/3-1/4 |
| 2/6 | Modder Deep (5/) ..... | 2⅛-2⅜ |
| 1/- | Modder East ..... | 1/-1⅛ |
| 1/3 | New State Areas ..... | 1/3-1/4 |
| 3/6 | Nigel ..... | 3/3-3/6 |
| 8/6 | Nourse Mines ..... | 8/3-8/9 |
| 2/- | Rand Mines (£1) ..... | 2/-2⅛ |
| 18/6 | Randfontein ..... | 18/6-18/6+0/3 |
| 1/3 | Robinson D. A. (1/) | 1⅛-1⅜ |
| 11/9 | Robinson Dp. B. ..... | 11/6-11/9 |
| 11/9 | Rose Deep ..... | 11/6-12/0+1/6 |
| 9/6 | Salis (5/) ..... | 9/7½-10/-0/3 |
| 19/0 | S.A. Gold Trust. ..... | 19/-19/6 |
| 2/6 | Springs Mines ..... | 2⅜-2⅝ |
| 17/6 | Sub Nigel ..... | 11/6-11/9 |
| 3/6 | Trans. and Del. B. | 3/3-3/6 |
| 14/6 | Trans. Con. (10/) | 37/6-38/0+2/6 |
| 21/3 | Trans. Devels. ..... | 20/9-21/0+0/3 |
| 47/6 | Union Corp. ..... | 47/0-47/6+0/3 |
| 26/9 | Van Ryn ..... | 26/3-26/6+0/3 |
| 1/3 | Van Dyk Deep ..... | 1/3-1/4 |
| 23/9 | Vereeniging ..... | 23/0-23/6+0/3 |
| 10/3 | Village Deep ..... | 10/1½-10/4½ |
| 26/3 | West Areas ..... | 26/3-26/9+0/3 |
| | Do. Options ..... | 4/6-5/0 |
| 16/6 | Witwatersrd Deep | 14/6-15/6* |

### RUSSIAN.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 8/0 | Lena Gold ..... | 6/6-7/6 |
| 1/6 | Russo-Asiatic Cons. | 1/0½-0/11½ |
| 2/0 | Russian Mining ..... | 1/-1½ |
| 1/6 | Spassky ..... | 1/3-1/6 |
| | Spassky ..... | 79-79 |

### RHODESIAN.

| | M.U. | |
|---|---|---|
| Feb. | 16. | |
| 6/0 | Bechuanaland Ex. | 7/9-8/3—0/3 |
| 6/0 | Bonsor, Cecil ..... | 6/6½-6/9 |
| 2/6 | Cam and Motor ..... | 2/6-2/9 |
| 22/6 | Ciam'd B.S.A. ..... | 22/6-23/0+0/3 |
| 2/9 | Falcon ..... | 2/6-2/9 |
| 21/3 | Gaika Gold ..... | 21/3-21/6+0/3 |
| 1/6 | Globe & Phoenix (£) | 1/3/6-1/4/3 |
| 7/6 | Gold F. Rho. (10/) | 7/4-7/6 |
| 1/3 | Lonely East ..... | 1/3-1/4 |
| 1/6 | Essendo ..... | 1/6-1/9 |
| 1/3 | R. Broken Hill (£) | 1/3-1/4 |
| 17/6 | Selukwe (2/6) ..... | 17/-17/3—0/3 |
| 3/6 | Shamva Mines ..... | 3/3-3/6 |
| 1/3 | Sherwood Star(3/) | 1/3-1/4 |
| 1/3 | Tanganyika ..... | 1/3-1/4 |
| 1/3 | Tati Concess. ..... | 1/3-1/4 |
| 2/0 | Wanderer ..... | 2/-2/3 |

### DIAMOND.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| [] | Angola Diamond ..... | [] |
| 18/0 | Cen. D. S.W.A. | 17/6-18/0 |
| 1/3 | De Beers Def. ..... | 1/3-1/4 |
| 12½ | do. Pref. ..... | 12½-12½ |
| 2/6 | Jagersfontein ..... | 2/6-2/9 |
| 8/0 | Prem. Cullinan ..... | 8/0-8/3 |
| 6½ | Premier Pr. 6/- ..... | 6½-6½ |
| 12/3 | West African ..... | 10/6-11/0+1/3 |

### AUSTRALIAN.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1/4 | Amal. Zinc ..... | 1/4-1/5 |
| 12/0 | Associated ..... | 11/6-12/0 |
| 20/6 | Broken Hill Prop. | 20/6-20/6 |
| 2/3 | B. Hill Sth. New | 2/0-2/3 |
| 1/3 | Hampden Cloncurry | 1/3-1/4 |
| 19/0 | Lake View (10/) | 18/6-19/0 |
| 3/6 | North Kalgurli ..... | 3/3-3/6+0/3 |
| 13/9 | Spinifex Gold ..... | 13/6-14/0+0/3 |
| 2/3 | Sulphide Ord. ..... | 2/1½-2/3 |
| 13/6 | South Kalgurli ..... | 13/3-13/6 |
| 3/6 | Wiluna Gold ..... | 3/3-3/6+0/3 |
| 2/3 | do. Pref. ..... | 2/3-2/4 |

### WEST AFRICAN.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 12/0 | Ashanti Gold 4/- | 11/9-12/3 |
| 10/3 | Ashanti Cons. 5/- | 10/0-10/6 |
| 10/3 | Falconbridge ..... | 10/3-10/6 |
| 3/9 | Taquah & Aboso. | 3/6-4/0 |

† Ex. Dividend. ‡ Ex. Rights.

## PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

BIRMINGHAM.—Fair amount of business in Motor shares. Napiers and Rolls Royce both easier. Guys higher; 6/6. Deliveries steady. Austins, 3/9; do. Def., 4/10½; Enfields, 27/6; Components, 3/6; S.T.D., 4/10½; Hudsons, 20/6; Rubery Owen, 67/6; Napiers, 87/6; do. Pref., 20/6; Rolls Royce, 65/7½; Rovers, 12/6; Singers, 20/6; Standards, 48/3; Swifts, 10/10½; Parent Deferred, 40/-; Vauxhalls, 6/3; Dunlops, 20/6; Pneumatic, 20/6.

MANCHESTER.—Textiles were a very steady market. Bleachers, 64/-64/6; do. Pref., 52/-52/3; Calicos, 56/-56/3; do. Pref., 30/-30/6; Fine Spinners, 64/-64/6; do. Pref., 30/-30/6; Sunlights, 6/6-6/9; Coats, 58/-58/6; Ship Canal, 9/-9½; do. Pref., 31-31½; Vetveta, 60/-30/-.

## LONDON METALS MARKET.

TIN was reservedly bid in face of diminishing forward supplies, and carried rates were firmer. Spot, £221 5s.-£221 10s.; March, £221 5s.-£221 10s.; April, £221 5s.-£221 10s.; May, £221 5s.-£221 10s.; June, £221 5s.-£221 10s.; July, £221 5s.-£221 10s.; August, £221 5s.-£221 10s.; September, £221 5s.-£221 10s.; October, £221 5s.-£221 10s.; November, £221 5s.-£221 10s.; December, £221 5s.-£221 10s.; January, £221 5s.-£221 10s.; February

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PROPERTY AUCTION, THURSDAY, 12TH MARCH.

CARRIGMOLEEN, KILLINEY.

A handsome Detached Residence, standing on over 3 Statute acres of land, enjoying beautiful views of Bray Head, etc. The House contains drawing-room, dining-room and study, 6 bedrooms, bathroom, usual offices, and pantries. There is a large garden, lawn tennis ground, motor garage and stabling. There is also a 2-roomed Bungalow close to the house. Held for about 950 years at the low rent of £10 10s. a year, and subject to a ground rent of £45 per annum. Immediate possession will be given. Particulars of Sale from Messrs. MORGAN, POTTERELL and MOONEY, Solicitors, 11 Anglesea street.

Order to View from the AUCTIONEERS.

No. 35 LEESON PARK.

A HANDSOME RESIDENCE, WITH VACANT POSSESSION.

The House is well built, in good order, and contains 3 reception rooms, 6 bedrooms, bathroom (h. and c.), and usual offices, within 10 minutes' walk of Stephen's Green, and in a choice residential locality, and is immediately vacant. Mark it well. It is a semi-detached house, with red granite steps; the entire rear and side walls are rendered. There is [illegible] 30 feet square, hall, drawing room, 22 feet; dining room, 22 feet, 18 feet; with offices and store, and good tenantable premises. There is a separate entrance to the 2nd and 3rd floors. Two of these offices are let to tenants at £50 per annum.

The Lease is for 99 years from the 1st February 1911, at the yearly rent of £120, Valuable. £70.

Particulars and Conditions of Sale may be had from the Auctioneers, 40/41 Dame street.

Also, at 2 o'clock, the Lease and Goodwill, plant, and stock-in-trade of Mr. John Rogerson's quay. These premises comprise a large yard, 120 feet by 120 feet, with corrugated iron shed, 45ft. x 21ft., carried on partly on granite piers, and partly on wall, and are held under Lease for 99 years from 1911, subject to a rent of £20 per annum.

For further particulars apply to—

JOHN ROE, Esq., F.C.A., 40/41 Dame street.
C. J. COLLINS and SON, Temple Chambers, 19 Bedford street, Dublin.

Order to View Carriage of Sale.

FIVE LIFE POLICIES, AS FOLLOWS:—

LOT 1.—Policy for £1,000, on a life now aged 49 years, effected with the Scottish Provident Institution, 1st March, 1902, at Ordinary Rates. Half-yearly premium, £21 16s. Policy payable 30th September, 1952, or on previous death of Assured. Present surrender value of Policy and Bonuses, £1,107.

LOT 2.—Policy for £500 on a life now aged 49 years, effected with the same Company. Half-yearly premium, £17 16s. Policy payable on 19th September, 1952, or on previous death of Assured. Present surrender value, £553.

LOT 3.—Policy for £1,000, on a life now aged 49 years, effected with the Scottish Legal Life Assurance Society, 1st March, 1902, at Ordinary Rates. Half-yearly premium, £21 16s. Policy payable on 11th July, 1926, or on previous death of Assured.

LOT 4.—Similar Policy to Lot 3. Half-yearly premium, £21 16s. Policy payable 30th March, 1952, or on previous death of Assured. Present surrender value, £12 5s.

LOT 5.—Policy for £1,000, on a life now aged 49 years, effected with the Phœnix Assurance Company, Limited, 1st March, 1902, at Ordinary Rates. Half-yearly premium, £21 16s. Policy payable 30th March, 1952, or on previous death of Assured. Present surrender value, £12 5s.

Maps, Conditions of Sale and Forms of Proposal may be had from the Auctioneers, 40/41 Dame street.

E. & D. CARTON.

AUCTIONEERS & VALUERS, 33 SMITHFIELD, DUBLIN.

TELEPHONES—2878 and 2879.

[illegible] DAILY ANNOUNCEMENT.

[illegible] MRS. CHRISTINA WATSON, DECD.

[illegible] BY P[illegible] THE LEASE OF THE RESIDENCE,

[illegible] TO 27 [illegible]ACE, AILESBURY ROAD.

[illegible] Ireland and Gen[illegible] AUCTIONS, PAINTINGS AND EFFECTS.

[illegible] ON THE PREMISES [illegible]

[illegible] STANDARD FRIDAY [illegible]

[illegible] A. LAWS STEET, Solicitor, 4 St. Stephen's Green.

[illegible] LESEA ST., AUCTIONEER, 10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY.
A. C. WAL[illegible] A. & J. Dalton, Auctioneers, 41 Dame street.

ESTABLISHED 1815. 'PHONES 40 AND 42.

## BATTERSBY & CO.'S SALES,

AT THEIR SALEROOMS, 39 WESTMORELAND STREET,
THURSDAY, 5TH MARCH, AT 1.30 O'CLOCK
(UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF BY PRIVATE TREATY).

N.B.—Purchasers who may find it inconvenient to supply the full Purchase Money are invited to consult the Auctioneers prior to the day of the Sale, as facilities following Purchasers and Mortgagees, Photographs of some of the Properties will be on view at the Sale, which also will further particulars and Conditions may be obtained.

B. & Co. THE RESIDENCE OF KINCORA, DOLLYMOUNT, 5TH MAR
WITH POSSESSION, ON 10 ACRES 2 PERCHES; AND
THE DOLLYMOUNT HOTEL,
SITUATE CLOSE BY ON 3 ACRES 11 PERCHES; ALSO
DOLLYMOUNT COTTAGE, ADJOINING SAME.

We are instructed to SELL, the above, on the premises, on THURSDAY, 5th MARCH, 1925, at 3 o'clock, by Messrs. BATTERSBY & CO., the following valuable Properties, viz.:—

"KINCORA," DOLLYMOUNT, as in occupation of Mrs. Lawrence, comprising a handsome residence, containing 3 reception rooms, 7 bedrooms, bathroom, and usual offices, with stabling, coach-house, and other outoffices, and about 10 acres of land, with entrance from main road, and another entrance from Dollymount Avenue, and also from Dollymount Hotel grounds, and from another road; and the Dollymount Hotel, as in occupation of Mr. Adams, comprising a handsome residence, containing 3 reception rooms, 7 bedrooms, bathroom, and usual offices, with stabling, coach-house, and other outoffices, and about 3 acres of land, with entrance from main road, and another entrance from Dollymount Avenue, and also from Dollymount Hotel grounds, and from another road; and the Dollymount Cottage, as in occupation of Mrs. Adams, comprising a residence, containing 2 reception rooms, 3 bedrooms, and usual offices, with stabling, and about 2 acres of land, with entrance from main road.

The Properties will be sold in 3 Lots, as follows:—

THE DOLLYMOUNT HOTEL, and Orchard, Cabbage and Lawn Gardens, containing 3 acres 11 perches. P.L.V. £126. Held at a Rent of £40 per annum for the residue of 999 years from 1st May, 1837. To Rental a valuable Licence, and is one of the best in the City, and the Premises are Ready for Sale, if Fully Stocked.

"KINCORA," DOLLYMOUNT, as in occupation of Messrs. [illegible], is a substantially built 2-storeyed, double-fronted Residence, containing 3 reception rooms, 7 bedrooms, bathroom, and usual offices, with stabling, coach-house, and other outoffices, and about 10 acres of land, with entrance from main road, and another entrance from Dollymount Avenue, and also from Dollymount Hotel grounds, and from another road. P.L.V. £145. To Rental a valuable Licence, and is one of the best in the City, and the Premises are Ready for Sale, if Fully Stocked.

DOLLYMOUNT COTTAGE, as in occupation of Mrs. Adams, comprising a residence, containing 2 reception rooms, 3 bedrooms, and usual offices, with stabling, and about 2 acres of land, with entrance from main road. P.L.V. £25. To Rental £24 per annum.

All the above Properties will be Sold subject to the Conditions of Sale to be prepared by the Vendor's Solicitors, and may be viewed by Tickets, to be had on application at the Offices of the Auctioneers, 39 Westmoreland street, Dublin.

Further particulars, Auctioneers' Conditions of Sale, and Tickets to View may be had from the Auctioneers, 39 Westmoreland street, Dublin; or from Messrs. [illegible], Solicitors, 43 Dame street, Dublin.

BATTERSBY & CO. WILL SELL BY AUCTION

B. & Co. "SANDRINGHAM," 81 PARK AVENUE. 5TH MARCH
POSSESSION. BEST POSITION SYDNEY PARADE. DETACHED.

An attractively designed Residence, built of red brick, with granite dressings, and approached by granite steps to entrance porch; containing 3 reception rooms, 6 bedrooms, bathroom (h. and c.), and usual offices, with stabling, coach-house, and other outoffices, and about 1 acre of land, with entrance from Park avenue. Further particulars and Conditions of Sale may be had from the Auctioneers, 39 Westmoreland street, Dublin; or from Messrs. [illegible], Solicitors, 43 Dame street, Dublin.

BATTERSBY & CO. WILL SELL BY AUCTION

B. & Co. 9 SUMMERHILL, DUN LAOGHAIRE. 5TH MARCH
POSSESSION ON THAT LINE.

Well-built House, close to Seapoint Rail Station, recently decorated, with new bathroom (h. and c.), and all modern improvements, and in excellent order throughout; 3 reception rooms, 5 bedrooms, bathroom, and usual offices, with stabling for 2 horses, coach-house, and other outoffices, and about 1 acre of land, with entrance from and rear. Photo. Further particulars, Auctioneers' Offices, as above.

BATTERSBY & CO. WILL SELL BY AUCTION

B. & Co. 11 NEWTOWN AVENUE, BLACKROCK. 6TH MARCH
POSSESSION ON THAT LINE.

COMPACT NON-BASEMENT RESIDENCE, containing 3 reception rooms, 5 bedrooms, bathroom, and usual offices, with stabling, coach-house, and other outoffices, and about 1 acre of land, with entrance from and rear. Photo. For particulars, Auctioneers' Offices, as above.

BATTERSBY & CO. WILL SELL BY AUCTION

B. & Co. "HYAMS," 82 AND 83 DAME STREET. 3RD MARCH
IMPORTANT PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are instructed to SELL BY AUCTION, on the premises,

TUESDAY, MARCH 3RD, AT 12 O'CLOCK,

EXPENSIVE SHOP FITTINGS, MAHOGANY OFFICE ENCLOSURES, MIRRORS, LINOLEUM, HEATING STOVES, ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT, ELECTRIC LIGHT FITTINGS.

[illegible] STAIR, who have ceased business, and by order of the Trustees of their Deed of Assignment for the benefit of their Creditors, will SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on the premises, as above, on TUESDAY, 3rd MARCH, at 12 o'clock, the whole of their Valuable Stock-in-Trade, comprising [illegible]

FULL PARTICULARS IN LATER ADVERTISEMENTS.

OUR SALE ON THE 19TH MARCH WILL INCLUDE—
IN HARCOURT STREET, GLENSERVIE, BRAY,
19 NEW STREET. 71 LEINSTER ROAD.

BOOKINGS INVITED. FURNITURE AUCTIONS CONDUCTED.

## BATTERSBY & CO., AUCTIONEERS,

39 WESTMORELAND STREET, DUBLIN.

## MACARTHUR'S FORTNIGHTLY AUCTIONS.

PROPERTY AUCTION, FRIDAY, 6TH MARCH, 1925.

VACANT POSSESSION. 43 GREAT CHARLES STREET. EXCELLENT MODERN HOUSE, Semi-detached. Contains 3 large airy apartments, quality throughout, entrance. Ground rent only £4 5s. Valuation, £30. Vacant possession will be handed to Purchaser. Order to View from the AUCTIONEERS; or from JOHN HAWTHORNE, Esq., Solicitor, 35 Essex street, Dublin.

VACANT POSSESSION. 27 UPPER BUCKINGHAM STREET, OPPOSITE Aldborough House, FINE CITY HOUSE, containing 8 good apartments, bath, garden, 2 basterns, rear entrance. Ground rent £3 10s. Valuation £30. Lease 75 years. Clear vacant possession will be handed to purchaser. Orders to View from the AUCTIONEERS; or from W. H. SUTTON, Esq., Solicitor, 9 Bachelor's Walk, Dublin.

PROFITABLE INVESTMENT. 3 SUMMERHILL, LARGE SHOP AND HOUSE, let, and producing £3 7s. Od. per week. Ground rent £23. Lease 50 years to run. P.L.V. £29. Full particulars can be had from the SOLICITORS for Trustees of the Estate of the late JOHN CLARE, 7 and 8, Solicitors, 11 Westmoreland street, Dublin.

## MACARTHUR & CO., AUCTIONEERS, F.N.A.A.,

79 TALBOT STREET, DUBLIN.

SALE THIS DAY.

SALE BY AUCTION THIS DAY (SATURDAY) AND MONDAY NEXT (IN CONTINUATION).

MESSRS. JAMES HILL and SON will SELL by AUCTION a SPECIAL TWO DAYS' SALE OF GENUINE SECONDHAND

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PIANOFORTES,

PIANO PLAYER, OAK CABINET, AND 29 ROLLS OF MUSIC (MOSTLY SULLIVAN'S OPERAS).

Comprising chiefly—Three Superior Upright Pianofortes, by Collard and Collard, Robinson etc., an exceptional 5ft. Satin Walnut Bedroom Suite of modern design, by Collard and Collard, Robinson Suite, by S. Withers and Co., Ltd.; Mahogany Bookcases and Cabinets, Gilt and Carved Wood Inlaid Sideboards, Cabinets and Chiffoniers, Sheraton Inlaid Mahogany Bookcase, Queen Anne Type China Cabinets, and a number of fine DINING-ROOM AND DRAWING-ROOM SUITES, in various woods and coverings; BED-ROOM AND HALL FURNISHINGS, Wardrobes, Washing and Dressing Tables, Bedsteads, Chests of Drawers, Tables, and several Sets of Dining-room Chairs; also Sundry Brass Curtain Poles, Carpets and Carpet Squares, Linoleum, Oil Cloth, Fenders and Fire Irons, Kitchen Utensils, Glass and China, Garden Tools, Mowing Machine, Lawn Roller, Garden Seats, Iron and Wooden Bedsteads, Springs and Hair Mattresses, Bedding, etc., a Personal Property of the late Miss [illegible], Dublin, and Others.

On VIEW DAY PREVIOUS from 10 to 5.

## JAMES HILL & SON, M.I.A.A.,

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 2 & 10 BACHELOR'S WALK.

## MODERN FURNITURE.

BENNETT and SON, LTD., beg to announce that they will SELL BY AUCTION, AT THEIR GALLERIES, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, THURSDAY NEXT, FEBRUARY 26th, commencing at 11 o'clock, A COLLECTION OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE & APPOINTMENTS,

Comprising chiefly—Grand Piano, in mahogany case, by Collard and Collard; Pianola Piano, in walnut case, by Collard and Collard; Simplex Piano Player, Pianola, &c.; ANTIQUE MAHOGANY OVAL DINING TABLE, WITH FALLING LEAVES; Set of Mahogany and Walnut Framed Dining-room Chairs, Mahogany Bookcase, with sliding doors; Small Inlaid Mahogany Bookcase, Inlaid Mahogany Writing Table, with glass doors; Sheraton Sideboard; Cabinet, with glass doors; Mahogany Bureau; Mahogany Wardrobe; Walnut and Oak Occasional Tables; Mahogany Dressing Table; Set of Bedroom Chairs; Mahogany Inlaid Walnut Oval Tables; Mahogany and Inlaid Folding and Tables; Inlaid Mahogany Music Cabinet; Chesterfield Couches and Easy Chairs, in leather and tapestry; Gentleman's Mahogany 3-Door Wardrobe; Set of Chairs; Pair of Brass Fire Dogs; Mahogany Sofa Table; Drawing Room Tables; Mahogany and Oak Hall Stands, large Telescope on stand; Lady's and Gentleman's Bicycles; Vacuum Cleaner; Brass and Iron Bedsteads and Bedding; Decorative China and Glass; Table Cloths; Oil Paintings and Engravings; Kitchen Furniture and Cooking Utensils, and Other Effects.

Also at 2 o'clock, the Inlaid Mahogany Grand Piano, by ALEXANDER ROSS, in perfect condition, and a FEW PIECES OF ANTIQUE SILVER and OLD PLATED WARE.

On View Wednesday next, 25th inst., from 10 to 5 p.m. Catalogues, 1s. each. Terms—Cash or approved Trade Acceptance. Auction commences 11 a.m. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Fees.

BENNETT & SON, LIMITED,
6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY. (THE ONLY ADDRESS).

SPLENDID RESIDENTIAL ESTATE,

NEWBERRY MANOR

(5 Miles from Naas, and in the midst of the famous Dubailow Hunting District),

WITH DEMESNE OF ABOUT 625 ACRES, or such quantity thereof as may be required.

FOR SALE BY PRIVATE TREATY.

N. FLOOD DAVIN and SON are instructed by Lord Cloncurry to SELL this ATTRACTIVE PROPERTY BY PRIVATE TREATY. The Rental is £2,337 10s. 10d., payable to the Irish Land Commission under Land Purchase Acts. The Demesne, which has been recently put in thorough repair, occupies an elevated position in the beautifully timbered grounds and commands extensive and charming scenery. It contains entrance hall, 3 reception rooms, 10 bedrooms, 3 bathrooms, 3 servants' bedrooms, 3 bath rooms and usual offices. Stabling for 20 horses, garage, coach-houses, and extensive farm buildings.

The Residence would be Sold with such quantity of land as may be required. Of the entire area, 450 acres, about 410 acres are arable and grazing lands, the remainder being under valuable wood. The property is well watered, and is divided into 3 suitable lots. The Newberry Estate is one of the most attractive properties in the South of Ireland. Its position is at the centre of the Dublin and Kildare Hunting Districts, and it is within a short distance of Naas, in the centre of the Dublin and Kildare hunting country, and within easy reach of three other packs of hounds, and good fishing can be had in the River Liffey.

Further particulars from—

Messrs. O'CONNOR and DUDLEY, Solicitors, Mallow.

N. FLOOD DAVIN & SON, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS, MALLOW.

GRAZING TO LET PRIVATELY.

56 ACRES AT THE WARD.
44 and 27 ACRES AT BALLAGHTY.
37 AT FINGLAS.

R. & J. WILKINSON,
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EVERY THURSDAY. ENTRIES INVITED.

R. & J. WILKINSON,
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40 and 41 TRINITY STREET, DUBLIN.

DUNSHAUGHLIN

LIVE STOCK SALE,

TUESDAY NEXT, FEBRUARY 24th, at 12 o'clock.

JAMES J. ROONEY & CO., LTD.,
Auctioneers and Valuers.
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Telephone 3 DUBLIN STREET, DUBLIN.

TO FRUIT TRADE.

NOTICE OF ARRIVAL.

800 CASES VALENCIA ORANGES,
700 CASES LEMONS,
1,000 BOXES PEARS,
1,000 LARGE BOXES APPLES,
100 CASES BANANAS, 64 Bunches Large Size (Honey),
American Apples (Green & Barrel), Onions, etc., etc.
Also 50 Tons Seed Potatoes, Ex the Train Only.

GOODALL, CRUICE and MURRAY,
40 VICTORIA STREET, LIVERPOOL, and
7 DAME STREET, DUBLIN.

A THRILLING EPISODE in the Secret Service [illegible] Series, "The Wrath to Come," See the WEEKLY IRISH TIMES. To-day.

## JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S SALES

SALE TUESDAY NEXT, 24TH FEBRUARY,
FIRST-CLASS PRIVATE OR PROFESSIONAL RESIDENCE,
61 FITZWILLIAM SQUARE N.

CLEAR POSSESSION. In the best position in the Square, Northern Aspect. Lately thoroughly overhauled and redecorated throughout, and fitted with every modern convenience, including electric light, copper piping, extra large boilers and circulating Coalbox in bathroom, return room, ample sanitary accommodation, and in perfect order throughout. Held for 999 years from 1861 at £20 per annum. Rateable Valuation, £30. Rent, £20. Sale at 3 o'clock. Solicitor, J. J. MACKEN, Esq., 3 Fitzwilliam place. Auctioneers' Offices, 39 Westmoreland street. Photo. Particulars and Conditions of Sale from the Auctioneers, 6 Westmoreland street, Dublin. Inspection by card only, to be had from the Auctioneers' Offices, as above. Carriage of Sale, 3 Guineas. ADVERTISEMENT: LOWER DOWNS, CO. BANK OF FURNITURE. Messrs. FRENCH and FRENCH, Solicitors, 7 Stephen's Green.

47 MOUNTPLEASANT SQUARE.

CLEAR POSSESSION, one of the best Houses in the Square. Almost entirely structure, with especially large garden; choice situation; close to rail transport. Lease for 900 years. Ground rent, £8. The House is in good order, and contains 3 reception rooms, 7 bedrooms, bathroom, and usual offices. Rateable Valuation, £30. Sale at 3 o'clock. Solicitors, Messrs. MOLLOY, FAYLE and CO., Solicitors, 15 Bolton street.

SALE TUESDAY, 10TH MARCH.
ATTRACTIVE INVESTMENT. WELL-SECURED RENT.

£311 10s. 10d. PER ANNUM PROFIT RENT, arising out of the extensive and valuable Premises, 10 AND 10A TALBOT STREET. Held for long terms, subject to £20 10s. per annum, and sub-let or used for the purposes of a Public House, Grocery Business, Dwelling-houses, and Offices. Lease for 900 years from 1st May, 1841, at £19 11s. 10d. per annum. Rateable Valuation, £156. Sale at 3 o'clock. Solicitor, Messrs. MOLLOY, FAYLE and CO., Solicitors, 15 Bolton street.

## FURNITURE SALES.

ON VIEW TO-DAY.
SALE NEXT MONDAY.
51 NORTHUMBERLAND ROAD.
HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE, LINO, ELECTRIC FITTINGS AND EFFECTS.

MESSRS. JAMES H. NORTH and CO. having been further instructed to SELL THE FURNITURE AND EFFECTS, including:

Handsome Chesterfield Suite, upholstered in Rose Velour; Occasional Chairs, in Conditions; Writing Table, Half-round Mahogany Table, Mahogany Sideboard, Oak Sideboard, Mahogany Bookcase, Set of Chairs, Set of Carvers, Mahogany Bureau, Occasional Chairs, Oak Bracket, Vases, Ornaments, Pictures, Engravings, Mahogany Dressing Table, Mahogany Wardrobe, Mahogany Bedsteads, Spring Mattresses, Bedding, Carpets, Linoleum, Electric Fittings, Kitchen Utensils, and Other Effects.

ON VIEW TO-DAY, FROM 10 TO 5 O'CLOCK.

SALE WEDNESDAY NEXT, 25TH FEBRUARY,
61 FITZWILLIAM SQUARE.
ANTIQUE FURNITURE, DENTAL APPLIANCES, &c.

MESSRS. JAMES H. NORTH and CO. are favoured with instructions from [illegible], who is relinquishing practice, entirely in London, TO SELL THE VALUABLE FURNITURE AND EFFECTS, including:

Very Choice Piano Cabinet, fitted with Automatic Action, Ash's Registered Lamps and Wall Bracket Lamps, Suite of Period English, High-frequency Apparatus, with table and fittings, Operating Stool, Sight Examination Lamp, Dental Chair, Instrument Cabinet, Kettles, &c., etc.

DRAWING AND OTHER PICTURES, Fine Old Chippendale Side Table, exquisitely carved in lion and mask heads, acanthe and arrangement, Cabriole legs and claw and ball feet; Set of Chippendale Chairs, Chippendale Mahogany Bureau, Chippendale Mahogany Bookcase, Chippendale Mahogany Sideboard, Chippendale Mahogany Writing Table, Chippendale Mahogany Chairs, Chippendale Mahogany Cabinet, Set of Chippendale Mahogany